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WOMAN'S PAGE.

ELEGANCE



ROUND THE SHOPS.

[By "EVE."]

Lane, Crawford's.—Darker shades in stockings have gained in popularity because of the flattering effects they give. Lane, Crawford's have just received a new shipment of silk stockings in "Luxite," "Rainbow" and "Allen A." In "Luxite" the chiffon and service weights are priced at \$5.75; light weight with open-work clox at \$7.00; chiffon weave at \$8.75 and \$9.75; fine \$10.00 and extra fine at \$11.50 and \$12.50. The sheerest of all comes in a well-known Canadian make, "Rainbow" and are priced at \$10.00, while a little heavier quality is \$4.95. A really nice stocking is seen in "Allen A." at \$4.95 and \$7.50. Among the new dark shades are:—"Bark," a very dark brown "Testime," "Doe" and "Mink" a dark brown; "Street," a copper shade, "Wai-ki-ki" a light tan and "Arcade" a beautiful brown. Among the lighter tones are sand, buff, and mellow.

The Dolly Vardon Hat Shop.—This most attractive and enterprising shop is keeping up its reputation of up-to-the-minute fashions which for many years have proved to be the acme of elegance. Another wonderful shipment of "Catalina" and "Mayfair" hats has just been unpacked and give the latest note on the Autumn modes.

The new models are really most attractive and offer such a variety that all types are catered for. They are so numerous and of so many shapes and materials that it is impossible in this small space to attempt to describe them but I would advise an early visit to The Dolly Vardon Hat Shop which, to me at least, is not only a weekly pleasure but a revelation as to what can be purchased with a small purse like mine. As for the new two, three and four-piece Autumn suits—all I can say is that they are the smartest and most attractive that I have seen in more years than I like to look back on. For shoppers who are early on the go and for those who have to leave their offices after five, it will be interesting to learn that, until further notice, the hours of The Dolly Vardon Hat Shop will be from 8.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Gordon's.—Each week finds new and increasingly attractive models in footwear for millady at Gordon's. Modern shoes must form a part of the ensemble to which they give the finishing touch of elegance. The court shoe and the one-strap are the most popular for morning and afternoon wear while the low-tie is the most used for street wear. For evening there are delightful sandal styles in colours to match the gown while satin, moire and gold and silver brocades as well as two coloured leather sandals are used extensively. The new models are really delightful and their quality and elegance enhance still farther the reputation of this charming store.

Whiteaway's.—Regarding the term "basic values," the more I visit Whiteaway's store, the more I understand what this term means. For example, tweed skirts—just the thing for office wear—seem extraordinarily cheap at \$4.95, coat and skirt \$17.50, while Scots plaid kilted skirts for the children, in varying sizes from 21 to 32, are offered at prices ranging from \$7.95 to \$13.50. There are also some excellent materials for winter costumes at \$4.75 a yard—a very moderate figure, I think.



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FASHION'S LATEST SURPRISE.

MODERNISING MEDIAEVAL STYLES.

Changes in the waist-line are among the most dramatic features of the present Paris fashion collections. After taking the initiative and bringing a change of the silhouette three years ago by making waists at the normal, Jean Patou now launches forth on a completely new theme by dropping them.

This dropped waist-line might sound comforting, but, except for length, any resemblance to former slackness is quite taboo.

Women will have to "bant" just the same, for subtle fitting brings a new grace to the outline, and each one must be carefully studied in order to achieve this modernised mediaeval style. When "haute couture" has something to say, it says it with emphasis, and whether details are posed on or inserted into materials cut on this new line, the "Patou" tailoring removes all suggestion of slouches and gathered effects.

Skirt hems no longer dip. They are straight and of sports order. Morning and afternoon ones differ ever so slightly in length one from the other. These are modulated accordingly from mid to lower calf level. Circular, diagonal swerves, and every other form in full line is avoided.

This applies to evening gowns, which just escape the floor. No trains are seen.

Two-colour tone schemes characteristic of mediaeval styles are encouraged. Two-toned effects give slimmest to the body line, as the darker note is carried in length down the back and welded into the lighter side of the front. This evening theme changes when light wine red shows a brilliant yellow jerkin bodice. Mat surfaces fire-vail, and materials crinkle, the latest novelty being "velour" play-san. This velvet and a mediaeval patterned lamé are both lovely.

The two new colours, mediaeval brown and tea rose, have been culled from the epoch when Francois Villon stormed the citadels of convention. The brown is deep and bronze-like, the tea rose light and golden. Fox dyed brown-to-tone is used considerably on coats, all of which take an infinitely more comfortable line.

Modern Age sleeves sometimes appear, the leg-of-mutton variety being fitted raglan fashion. Deep cuffs of these dress sleeves are either made in a corresponding colour, a contrasting one, or they may show narrow diagonal striped effects.

Wrist gauntlets of white dressed kid perforated in the eyelet hole embroidery manner replace crocheted work and correspond with a sleeveless jumper resembling a cuirass over the bodice of a black frock. This model, completed by a white broadcloth jacket, indicates that English broadcloth is one of Patou's favoured materials for day wear. Corduroy lunage looks splendid in brown for winter ensembles, and emerald green, too, when a lighter green is used through the lengthened bodice of the dress and strapped in the new flat swathed movement round the hip line.

Fashion's clock is changing a little. At Chantal's, for instance, modes are classed for morning, early afternoon until five o'clock, and from then on to eight, when short-skirted dinner frocks mingle with evening gowns. Suits dominate for morning wear with wool lace blouses. Italian uniform green is used for one of these new blouses in white, and a twisted lunage necker matches the skirt belt in three shades of green—two lighter lines rolling down between very deep green. Indigo blue makes an excellent background for a white Persian lamb collar and tie necklet.



and tabe blond for a single diagonal over jacket outlined by a line of deep brown seal.

A black coat semi-fitted in one of the new embossed tuck-lined agos is an admirable model lined blue to match a clear French blue lunage dress. Another black coat without a collar has an interesting detail, in the form of a detachable sleeveless fitted bolero showing a narrow border of astrakhan. Buttons covered with the material take a short front fastening on the coat and the dress contrasts in absolute green.

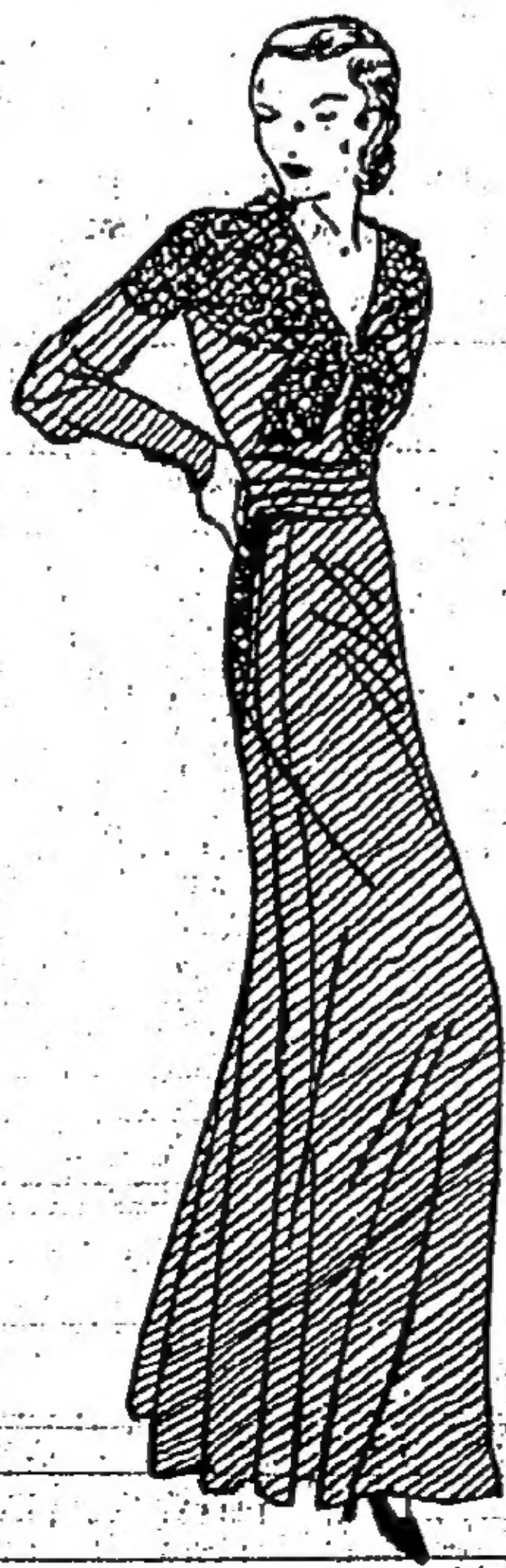
Sports suits reveal a new type of model for travelling to a sunny clime in autumn. This disguises a sun back suit of white lunage, and in one instance given three or four aspects. The sun back bodice—presumably attached to shorts—has a twisted cross-over effect of the white lunage. This shows like a blouse above a flat white lunage skirt factogne, with fuzzy black wool designs under a rum brown tailored coat, which, in its turn,

reveals a charming yellow chamois jacket with sections of pin tucks as trimming.

The chamois note looks excellent again with a black suit making a colour combination in gloves, wool lace blouse, and a tiny twisted wool necklet. Two tones of brown mingle when a three-quarter length slack coat in heavy moulton lunage is combined to wear over a lighter brown jersey tweed dress with a crinkly rib.

Enormous leg-o-mutton sleeves swell the evening class. A pale pink velvet coat shows this type of sleeve in really picturesque proportion, gathered as it is from the shoulder line to half way down into the under-arm seam. This is worn over a pale pink satin crepon gown with two flat short circular frills adorning the armholes.

A new apron mode also comes to light. It is cleverly executed in black Chinese tie at the back over a black lace dinner gown. Then chenille velvet strikes a new evening trend in sleeveless boleros, this one being chosen in navy blue to wear over a navy blue satin gown. Chenille velvet comes into the new group, and has the appearance of a glorified plush.



WOMAN'S PAGE

USEFUL HINTS.

A fork should never be stuck into a steak or chop that is being fried or grilled, as it lets the juice out.

There is nothing better than onions for removing rust from steel. Rub the rusty part with an onion and leave the juice on for twenty-four hours, then polish the steel with bath brick and turpentine.

When boiling asparagus, keep it immersed in boiling water till the very minute of serving, and so retain the deep green colour of the tips.

The flavour of mint sauce is improved if a little boiling water is poured over the mint and sugar before the vinegar is added. In this way the full essence of the mint is drawn out.

EMPIRE FASHIONS THIS AUTUMN.

The creators of fashion have got a definite plan about you. It is that you shall wear the Empire line whether you like it or not. For three seasons running now they have been trying tentatively to force women to wear this Empire silhouette, and now it looks as if they are going to succeed, because both day and evening clothes have the high-waisted line.

All kinds of new and amusing materials have been designed for the autumn and winter collections.

"Waffle" Surface Designs.

The newest include Angora wools for dresses, some of which are plain and others broché with a small flower design woven at regular intervals. One of the most original has raised stars with dropping threads about them.

Woolen weaves, with large woven ridges that look like pin-tucks, widely spaced or close together, will be used for tailored suits or fur coats. "Gaufrette" is the name of one of the coming season's designs, and it has a raised pattern like an American waffle.

Loose basket weaves, small honey-comb designs, spongy weaves, will all be found in materials suitable for tailored coats or suits.

Some of the coat materials have chenille effects, as well as Turkish towelling or corduroy stripes and diagonals. All raised patterns are popular. They may be woven in rib or in designs.

Some of the woollens used for sports coats and country wear are in plain colours, with small overlapping squares woven in relief.

Others have threads like veins running through them.

Chamois Cloth Selvat.

An interesting material is a tightly woven wool of medium thickness, which looks as if it were covered with flat braid. A velvet that will be used a great deal this autumn has a chamois cloth finish.

Smart women this autumn are going to wear any number of white and off tones of white, both for day and evening clothes.



PAINT STAINS.

A paint stain on a garment is removed most effectively while it is still damp, when it should be rubbed with a piece of similar material. If, however, the paint mark is not discovered until some time after it is made it will have had time to harden and adhere firmly to the cloth.

In this case either will be found the most effective medium for its removal. Dab the ether on to the stain with a small pad of cotton wool until it disappears. Then press the garment, under a damp cloth with a warm iron.

USEFUL CLEANING HINTS.

To clean a velour or felt hat. Beat it with a cane, then brush it, to remove all dust and to work up the surface. Hold over a pan of boiling water, and steam it well from the inside, turning it slowly so that it is equally steamed all over. Shake thoroughly, leave to dry, brush lightly—and the hat will look equal to new.

A black straw or crinoline hat may be cleaned by rubbing with olive oil after it has been well brushed to remove dust.

To clean solid ribbon. Sponge with methylated spirits and iron between two cloths.

Black lace should be steeped in cold, strong, sweetened tea, wrung out, and ironed between cloths while damp.

Wash white lace in borax water, and stiffen it by adding a little gum arabic to the rinsing water. If the lace is pure white, use a little blue in the rinsing water; if cream, add a dash of cold coffee. Iron on a thick blanket on the wrong side, pressing heavily.

Steel buckles may be cleaned with a paste of crocus powder and turpentine. Spread the paste over the metal, leave to dry, brush off, and polish with a leather.

WET WEATHER HINT.

Shoes that have been very wet and become hard in the drying may be softened by the application of a little paraffin.

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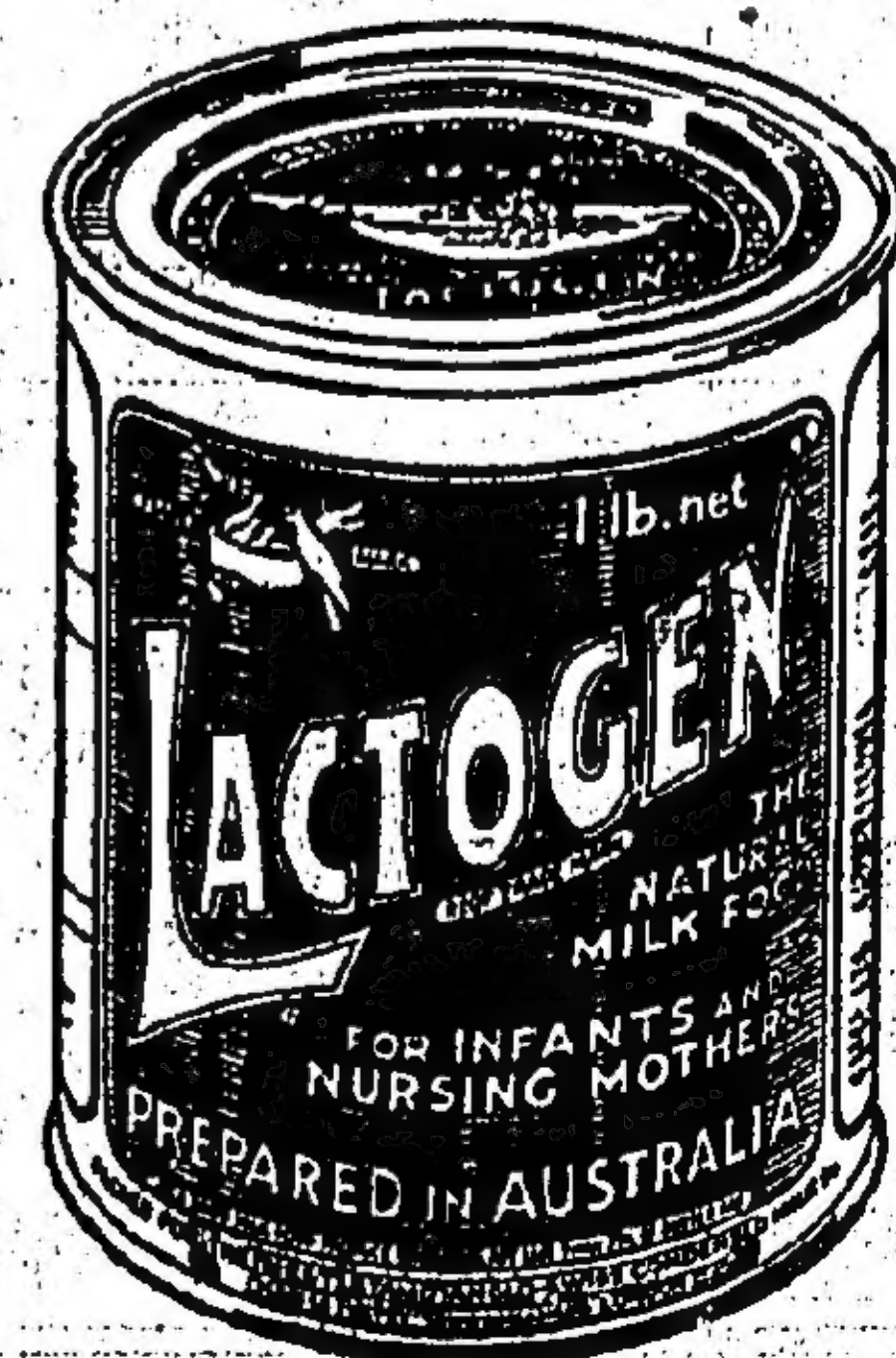
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PORT OF LONDON'S TRAFFIC.

FEWER SHIPS BUT MORE GOODS.

The effect of the world trade depression on London's shipping is shown in the annual report of the Port of London Authority for the year ended March 31 last.

The net tonnage of vessels arriving and departing with cargoes, and in ballast, during 1931 was 56,074,550, compared with 56,935,598 of the previous twelve months and 57,375,335 during 1930.

During the year, however, the Authority landed or received 2,474,713 tons of imported goods, an increase of 165,408 tons (7.2 per cent.) on 1930. The export traffic handled on the dock quays during the twelve months amounted to 517,470 tons, a decrease of 60,973 tons on the previous year's figure of 578,449 tons.

The stock of goods in the warehouses directly controlled by the Authority also showed a decrease—322,333 tons as compared with 321,320 tons at the corresponding date in 1931. The shipping entering the dry docks during the year amounted to 2,975,648 tons gross, or 495,891 tons less than that of the previous year. The wet docks of the Authority showed a smaller decrease, 25,045,930 tons as compared with 25,997,880.

Year's Balance.
The total revenue for the year was £5,692,889 and the expenditure £4,292,830, leaving a balance of £1,400,059 after deduction of interest and sinking fund charges.

Despite the depression the works and improvements of the Authority showed good progress during the year.

The improvement scheme at the north end of Lavender Dock, Surrey Commercial Docks, consisting of a new quay, sheds and road has been completed and brought into use. Various improvements comprising reconstruction of quays, sheds, renovation of hydraulic power station, and a new office have also been effected.

During the year 1,388,285 cubic yards of material were removed from the river in order to maintain and deepen the channels, and 1,250,272 cubic yards of mud were removed from the docks during the same period.

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YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

The chief medium of trading activity yesterday was in the following: Lights at \$17, Hotels at \$11.10, Trams at \$22, Telephones at \$22. Lands were also dealt in at varying rates.

Sales.

Union Insurance, \$462 1/2/405.
H.K. Hotels (Old), \$10.85.
H.K. Hotels (Old), \$10.88.
H.K. Hotels (New), \$10.40.
Constructions (New) \$11.

Buyers.

Hong Kong Bank, \$1,585.
Union Insurance, \$465.
Underwriters, \$2.50.
International Assoc., \$15.4.
H.K. Steamboats, \$22.
Union Waterboats, \$20.
Benguet Consolidated, \$17 1/2.
Lauha, \$40.
Venz: Goldfields, \$2.00.
Providents (Old), \$4.80.
H.K. Hotels (Old), \$10.
H.K. Hotels (New), \$10.40.
Wing On Textiles (Shanghai), \$180.

Hong Kong Trams, \$23.
Peak Trams (Old), \$15.
Peak Trams (New), \$18.
China Lights (Old), \$18.
China Lights (New), \$18.
Hong Kong Electric, \$74.
Telephones (P.P.), \$22.
Malison Sugars, \$27.
Cements (Combined), \$14.40.
Watsons (Old), \$12.
Lane, Crawford, \$5.30.
United Theatres, \$15.35.
Constructions (New), \$1.40.

Sellers.

Union Insurance, \$500.
Hong Kong Land, \$74.
H.K. Realities, \$8.80.
Hong Kong Ropes, \$12.

SHANGHAI STOCKS.

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following quoted quotations of Shanghai stocks:—
China Finance Corp. 5.70
International Investment Trust Co. (Ord.) 7.40
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Yangtze Finance Co. 6.30
International Assurance Co. 4.00
China Realty Co. 11.10
Shanghai Land Investment Co. 21.50
New Engineering and Ship Building Works (Ord.) 5.50
Shanghai Docks and Engineering Co. 89.70
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co. 220.00
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American Asiatic Underwriters 25.00
American Oriental Finance Corp. "B" 25.00
Asia Realty "B" 27.50
Chinese Gold & Bonds 1923 65%.

ADVISING RUBBER INDUSTRY.

AN AMERICAN COMMITTEE.

PROBLEMS FACING MANUFACTURERS.

Headed by George T. Bishop, president of Continental Shares, (states the Rubber Age) a committee of five prominent business executives interested in the rubber industry has been formed to serve as advisers to the industry as a whole and attempt to work out some of its problems.

The formation of this new group is said to be the result of a dinner which was attended by the heads of practically all the leading rubber companies in the country and at which Mr. Bishop proposed a plan to set up some dictatorship in the industry which would help solve the industry's present difficulties.

In addition to Mr. Bishop, Harris Creech, president of the Cleveland Trust Company, and a director of Firestone Tyre and Rubber Company; Irene du Pont, vice-chairman of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Co., representing the du Pont interests in the United States Rubber Company; O. S. McCain, chairman of the board of Chase National Bank, and Robert L. Clark, president of Chase Securities, representing the Chase bank interests as bankers for a number of rubber companies.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS.

New York, Sept. 14.
Dow Jones Averages:—
Sept. 13. 14. Change.
30 Industrials 69.55 68.88 3.97 down
30 Rails 32.57 32.71 2.86 down
30 Utilities 30.73 28.80 1.93 down

Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Co.
Report.

Fresh selling this afternoon indicated that the market will have to meet further pressure and we would defer buying. If, however, prices are actively weak in the first hour of trading to-morrow, we would recommend trading purchases.

Business done: 3,200,000 shares.

	Sept. 13.	Sept. 14.
Air Reduction	85 1/2	85 1/2
Allied Chemical and Dye	77 1/2	77 1/2
American Can	53 1/2	53 1/2
American Telephone & Telegraph	113	108 1/2
American Tobacco "B"	77	75
Anacosta Copper Mining	12	10 1/2
Auburn	54 1/2	49 1/2
Borden Company	29 1/2	28 1/2
Canadian Pacific	16 1/2	16 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York	58 1/2	Missing
Drugs, Inc.	43 1/2	42 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	37 1/2	34 1/2
Eastman Kodak	51 1/2	49 1/2
General Electric	17 1/2	16 1/2
General Foods	29 1/2	28 1/2
General Motors	19 1/2	14 1/2
International Harvester	24 1/2	18 1/2
International Tel. and Tel.	11	10
Liggett and Myers "B"	50 1/2	58 1/2
Loew's Inc.	33 1/2	32
Pacific Gas and Electric	29 1/2	28 1/2
Pennsylvania Railway	43 1/2	17 1/2
Radio Corporation	91 1/2	61
Sears Roebuck	21 1/2	18 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	32	31 1/2
Socoy-Vacuum Corp.	10 1/2	10
Union Carbide and Carbon	92 1/2	94
United Pacific	73 1/2	68 1/2
United States Steel	42 1/2	38 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	34 1/2	29 1/2

ber of the rubber companies, have been appointed to serve on a committee with Mr. Bishop.

Several meetings of the committee have already been held and some of the major problems of the industry discussed. The committee with Mr. Bishop is expected to serve in a co-operative and advisory capacity with the industry, rather than adopt a dictatorial policy.

According to announcements from Mr. Bishop, the first recommendations of the new committee will be forthcoming shortly. There will not be made public however, and will be handed to the executives of the industry merely as suggestions.

Free Services Unofficial.

"The first thing we will take up will be these free tube offer, free service, free this and free that," Mr. Bishop said. "They are unethical and ought to be done away with at once. Later we will get around to other things that we believe should be corrected to help the situation in the rubber business, which certainly is deplorable."

"Asked if mail order price cutting and competition figured in the committee prospective study Mr. Bishop said: "Yes, we have been to see the mail order people already and have talked the situation over with them. I think we will find them co-operating in whatever we do."

Officials of every rubber company have been approached by the committee, Mr. Bishop said, but he did not believe it would be wise to name them.

"We expect to call on the heads of small units of the rubber business right away," Mr. Bishop said. "Some of these smaller factories are mighty important factors in the business and we will see them before anything is done. What we want to do is get the slant of every representative of every company on the situation before we do anything."

In the formal statement which Mr. Bishop gave out in New York he said: "The committee plans to investigate various trade practices and to consider the elimination of those which are unethical and legal. It will act in a purely advisory capacity without power and feels that there may be a number of subjects upon which it can make helpful suggestions."

BRITISH REVENUE CONTINUES TO GAIN

EXPENDITURE SHOWS DECREASE

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rome, Sept. 14.
THE British Exchequer returns continue to show an increase of revenue and a decrease of expenditure in comparison with last year. The National revenue for the week ended September 10, totalled £3,399,401, exceeding the expenditure by £300,540.

Figures from April 1 to September 10 show that customs receipts amounted to £73,127,000, an increase of £15,539,000 on last year. For the same period the excess of ordinary expenditure over revenue was reduced from £97,928,595 to £23,133,231. The sum of £23,133,231 was expended on the repaying of £300,000 obtained from France in September, 1931.

JAPANESE BANKING REVIEW.

MARKED IMPROVEMENT IN LAST SIX MONTHS.

CLEARING HOUSE FIGURES.

Tokyo, September 7th.—There has been a marked improvement in the banking business since April. Both deposits and advances are now increasing slowly but steadily. The position is fully demonstrated in the weekly returns by the Tokyo Clearing House on Tuesday (6th).

Aggregate deposits at associate Tokyo banks at the week-end were ¥2,014,001,000, an increase of ¥21,750,000 over a week ago, while their advances increased by ¥9,930,000 to ¥2,238,688,000. It is the first time since January 30th that deposits have exceeded ¥2,000,000,000. The following are the deposit and advance figures since the end of March.

Deposits Advances (Unit-Y.1,000)

March 26	Y.1,646,964	Y.2,271,207
April 30	1,659,350	2,245,848
May 28	1,628,089	2,253,079
June 25	1,665,738	2,249,241
July 30	1,679,235	2,252,054
August 27	1,660,644	2,185,381
September 3	2,014,091	2,238,688

It is remarkable, however, that fixed deposits at Tokyo banks have fallen off ¥3,310,000. This shrinkage, according to the Japanese Press, is due to the fact that those who borrowed money on the security of their fixed deposits and deposited it at the old interest rate immediately before the lowering of the interest rate, returned the money on maturity of the hypothecated deposit accounts.

Call loans and cash in hand were ¥297,249,000 and ¥1,159,161,000, respectively. Compared with a week ago, this shows an increase of ¥14,833,000 in call loans and ¥16,189,000 in cash in hand. This reflects the slackness of money. Advances including call loans totalled ¥1,321,647,000, a decrease of ¥10,382,000 from a week ago. This drop is due largely to a seasonal recovery of call money. Cash in hand increased by ¥3,727,000 to ¥9,097,000.

DEBENTURE HOLDINGS DECREASE.

In making a comparative survey of the returns of the eight largest banks in Japan for the first half of the year, it is noticeable that except the Sumitomo, the Daiichi and the Kawasaki-100th, the holdings of bonds, debentures and shares show decreases from the previous term. Particularly it is evident that the 34th Bank, the Yamaguchi and the Yasuda should show falls of over ¥10,000,000.

As regards national bonds, all banks except that 24th, the Yamaguchi and the Yasuda, report increases. Both the Sumitomo and the Daiichi witnessed increases of over ¥10,000,000 in their holdings. It is further noteworthy that the holdings of foreign currency bonds by the Mitsu and the Sumitomo dropped to ¥12,900,000 and ¥4,483,000, respectively.

The following are the aggregate holdings at the eight largest banks:—
(Unit-Y.1,000)
Mitsui Y.181,110 — 6,396
Mitsubishi 283,367 — 3,071
Sumitomo 240,955 + 2,154
Daiichi 272,285 + 4,868
Yasuda 164,823 — 11,708
Kawasaki-yokohama 32,005 — 748
34th 136,544 — 10,430
Yamaguchi 115,285 — 14,141

CAUSES OF WORLD DEPRESSION.

A LEAGUE OF NATIONS VIEW.

The League of Nations has just published a valuable study of world economic and financial relations which is timely in view of the approaching World Economic Conference. The publication deals with balances of payments in all countries during 1930 and also analyses capital movements in 1931. The volume is admittedly one only to be read by the serious student of monetary problems but it and its companions "A Review of World Trade in 1930" and "International Trade Statistics 1930" form a compendium of all that anyone should wish to know of the broad development of world commerce and finance in recent years.

These publications are the work of the members of the League's Economic and Financial Section, a body of experts who have previously given much interesting and useful information to the banking and trading community. In their latest publication they have some interesting comments to make upon the world financial and economic debacle; its origins and probable causes. Over against the general fall of prices which is the usual explanation of the present depression, the League experts emphasize the subtler phenomenon of the dislocation of the prices of raw materials and those of manufactured goods. There is a significant connection between this disparity and the movement of investments. The chief borrowing countries are the raw produce countries who attract money when raw produce prices are high. Conversely when industrial goods are dearer the investing countries, being mainly industrial, keep their money at home. But whereas industry can quickly respond to a falling market by checking output, agricultural output cannot be so promptly curtailed. Agricultural countries in adverse times try to make up in quantity for the loss in value and then, when foreign capital is again available, use it to carry growing stocks.

IRISH RAILWAY'S PLIGHT.

HEAVY LOSSES FROM TARIFF "WAR."

GOVERNMENT RELIEF DEMANDED.

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If the Government refused relief, he added, the company would be compelled, either to close down, or to submit to nationalisation.

Nationalisation, he declared, would be disastrous to the commerce of the Free State, to the ratepayers, to the railway employees, and to all concerned.

Tax on British Coal.

Mr. Adam Blood, speaking for over 600 shareholders, said that the immediate crisis was due to the tax on British coal, which was, he understood, the only coal suitable for the company's engines. "The railways are certainly not in a position financially to submit to be penalised in order to help a political policy," he said.

The railway company is seeking Government relief in the form of control of freight traffic and unfair road competition, and removal of the obligation to run uneconomic lines and to maintain present wages and conditions of service.

It was stated that the company was negotiating with the workers' unions for substantial reductions in wages.

EXCHANGE.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

September 15, 1932.

On LONDON:—
Telegraphic Transfer... 1/4
Bank Bills, on demand 1/4
Bank Bills, 4 months sight 1/4
Credits, 4 months sight 1/4
On PARIS:—
Bank Bills, on demand 59 1/2
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On NEW YORK:—
Bank Bills, on demand 23 1/2
Credits, 60 days sight 24 1/2
On BOMBAY:—
Telegraphic Transfer Bank, on demand ... 88 1/2
On CALCUTTA:—
Telegraphic Transfer Bank, on demand ... 88 1/2
On SHANGHAI:—
Bank, at sight ... 75 1/2
On YOKOHAMA:—
On demand ... 88 1/2
On MANILA—On demand... 48 1/2
On SINGAPORE:—
On demand ... 57 1/2
On BATAVIA:—On demand 57 1/2
On HONGKONG:—
On demand ... 59 1/2
On SAIGON:—On demand 59 1/2
On BANGKOK:—
On demand ... 139 1/2
SOVEREIGNS/BANK'S BUYING
Rate ... 1/4
BAN SILVER PER OZ. ... 17 1/2

Dr. Makita (Mitsui), Mr. Mitani (Mitsubishi) and Mr. Isomura (Mokkaido Mine and Ship. Co.). It was then arranged that the Bankokai should appoint a special control committee to study the problem.

It is learned that the committees will first discuss control in Kyushu and then in Hokkaido and Johon (Tokyo) districts. At present such districts have organisations to promote their common interests, and it is expected that these will be utilised.

Formerly the South Manchuria Railway was regarded as a sort of safeguard; if the Japanese prices became too high there was the possibility of importing from Fushan but apparently the S.M.R. is now ready to join in the conspiracy—
(Continued at foot of next column.) Japan Chronicle

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ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 14th SEPTEMBER, 1932 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on MONDAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, 1932.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Acting Secretary.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE NINTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 17th SEPTEMBER, 1932, commencing at 2.30 p.m. The First Bell will be rung at 2.00 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE. Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club House at \$4.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for payment of all Chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On no pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21820.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE. The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Tis Tac Mon, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

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Hong Kong, 12th Sept., 1932. [2544]

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CONCERN OVER ATLANTIC FLIERS

AMERICAN NURSE LONG OVERDUE

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

ROME, Sept. 15. ROME'S great expectations for the arrival of the aeroplane "American Nurse," with Doctors Ulbrich and Piaculli and Miss Edna Newcomer, who were attempting a non-stop flight to Rome, have given way to much anxiety. The plane is long overdue. A report stating that the machine was sighted over Sardinia was due to mistaken identity.

The Minister of Aviation, General Balbo, and other notables who assembled at the aerodrome to witness the arrival of the three fliers, left the field after hours of waiting, and expressed grave concern.

An Earlier Message. Doctors Ulbrich and Piaculli, accompanied by a nurse, Miss Edna Newcomer, have crossed the Atlantic safely in their big monoplane, "The American Nurse."

The plane was sighted at 9 o'clock last night flying low over Sardinia, in order to avoid heavy clouds.

NEW AMPHIBIAN FOR R.A.F.

IMPORTANT EXTENSION

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

RUSSY, Sept. 14. AN important extension to the scope of the Royal Air Force is marked by an order for a "Cloud" amphibian aircraft, placed with Saunders, Roe, Limited. These aircraft can operate on land, water and air.

With wheels wound down into position, the aircraft can take off from the ordinary land aerodrome and when the pilot has wound the wheels up into a position at the sides of the boat hull, he can alight on water.

When taken ashore, the machine can taxi to a shipway and, the wheels having been wound down, can taxi up the slipway without further preparation. This latter feature, from an operational point of view, represents a great advance. The machines are fitted with two Armstrong-Siddley double Monocoque engines of 360 horse-power. They can cruise at 100 miles an hour, with a top speed of 120 miles an hour, and their endurance, with a full load, is four hours.

THE FRENCH MAIL DISASTER.

HEAVY CLAIMS ON INSURANCE MARKET

One result of the heavy financial loss caused by the destruction by fire of the large French liner Georges Philippart at the entrance to the Gulf of Aden in May is that some of the largest liners in the fleet managed by the Messageries Maritimes are no longer insured in the market. The total insurances on the Georges Philippart are believed to have amounted to about £1,250,000, and the greater part of the loss is known to have fallen on the London market. Some shipping casualties create no great surprise, but the unfortunate loss for the company caused by the destruction of this great ship by fire on her maiden voyage undoubtedly shocked public imagination.

Within recent years two other large vessels of the Messageries Maritimes took fire and produced heavy claims for the insurance market. These were the Fontainebleau, which was burnt at Djibouti on July 12, 1926, and the Paul Lecat, which was burnt in dock in Marseilles on December 3, 1928, and subsequently was broken up. It was a particularly unfortunate coincidence that the proposals for the renewals of the insurances on the fleet had to be put forward shortly after the disaster to the Georges Philippart. Underwriters, who were then smarting under a heavy loss, considered that substantially higher rates of premium should be quoted, although the owners were ready to grant a considerable franchise, which meant that claims for damage would only be payable by underwriters in excess of a stipulated amount.

Effect of Exchange. The owners declined to accept the terms quoted. Underwriters did not consider that they were able, in view of the large sums they had paid in losses during the last few years, to quote lower rates. Incidentally, the cost of the loss of the Georges Philippart for the London market was increased by the change in the relationship between the franc and the pound sterling.

Many fine ships have been built for the Messageries Maritimes within the last few years. Altogether vessels have been built for the company since the War which now represent a value of about £2,000,000.

The fleet may be divided into two parts. One is owned entirely by the Messageries Maritimes itself, and the other is owned by the Societe des Services Contractuels des Messageries Maritimes. The vessels in the latter company are understood to have been built in co-operation with the French Government and they carry on mail services. They are, indeed, only managed by the Messageries Maritimes for the Marine Marchand. It is these ships which are now not insured in the market. In various quarters regret is expressed that it was necessary to submit the proposals for a renewal of the insurances at a time when the destruction of the Georges Philippart was so very much in the minds of underwriters.

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME

BROADCAST BY Z.B.W. ON 355 METRES.

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock quotations.
11.30 a.m.—Chinese programme.
12.30 p.m.—European programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, etc.
2 p.m.—Close down.
5 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.
7 to 10.30 p.m.—European programme.

7 p.m.—Stock quotations, etc.
7.03 to 9 p.m.—A programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.
7.03 to 7.40 p.m.—Concerto No. 1 in B Flat Major for Piano and Orchestra (Tchaikowsky, Op. 23), played by Solomon (Piano), and The Halle Orchestra, conducted by Sir Hamilton Harty.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

7.40 to 8.15 p.m.—

A Concert.

Violin Solo—"Frasquita Serenade" (Lehar-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—"Kreisler Sevenade" (Lehar)—Fritz Kreisler.

Vocal Duet—"The Thought Never Entered My Head" (Novello).

Vocal Duet—"Moon Enchanted" (Besley)—Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham.

Piano Solo—"Fantasia—Impromptu" (Chopin).

Piano Solo—"Caprice" (Gluck-Saint-Saens)—Harold Bauer.

Song—"The Three Ravens" (arr. Kennedy Scott).

Song—"The Boatman" (Harris).

—John Goss and the Cathedral Male Voice Quartette.

Violin Solo—"Indian Lament" (Dvorak-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—"Slavonic Dances No. 3" (Dvorak-Kreisler)—Fritz Kreisler.

Chorus—(a) "Where the Bells Suck" (Shakespeare and Arne), (b) "Come Let Us Join the Roundelay" (Wm. Beale).

Chorus—"It Was a Lover and His Lass" (Shakespeare and Arne)—The B.B.C. Wireless Singers.

8.15 to 8.40 p.m.—"Casse Noisette Suite" (Tchaikowsky).—The B.B.C. Wireless Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Percy Pitt.

8.40 to 9 p.m.—

Vocal Gems.

"The Merry Widow" (Lehar).

"The Waltz Dream" (Strauss).

—Light Opera Company.

"The Mikado" (Gilbert and Sullivan).—Columbia Light Opera Company.

9 to 9.30 p.m.—

From the Studio.

A talk by The Rev. E. L. Allen on "Lapsus Linguae"—or "The Explanation of Some Common Mistakes."

9.30 to 10.15 p.m.—

A recital by Miss Anne Henderson (Violinist) and Miss Florence Paton (Pianist).

Programme.

1. Pianoforte Solo—Invitation a la Valse, Op. 43 (C.M. von Weber).

2. Violin Solo—Romance, Op. 28 (Svendsen).

3. Pianoforte Solo—Prelude (Raindrop), Op. 28 (Chopin).

4. Violin Solo—Ballade, Op. 38 (Vieuxtemps).

5. Pianoforte Solos—(a) Liebestraume (Liszt); (b) Caprice, Op. 24 (Sibelius).

6. Violin Solos—(a) Andante Cantabile (from String Quartette) (Tchaikowsky-Kreisler); (b) Chanson Bretonne (Chaminade).

7. Pianoforte Solo—Autonne, Op. 33 (Chaminade).

10.15 to 10.30 p.m.—A programme of records from Z.B.W.'s Library.

"Lyric Suite" (Grieg, Op. 54), played by the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra, conducted by Sir London-Ronald.

10.30 p.m. (approx.)—Rugby and day Press news.

10.35 p.m.—Close down.

THE QUALITIES OF SAIL TRAINING.

MATCHING THE CUNNING OF THE SEA.

Captain Frank H. Shaw, the popular writer on the sea, is an advocate of sail training, which, in his opinion, needs an alertness that cannot be acquired in steam. In a letter to *The Times*, he replies to Admiral Sir Sydney Fremantle, G.C.B., M.V.O. Captain Shaw writes:—

"Admiral Fremantle loses sight of many points in his criticism of the sail training idea in the Navy. There is no fear of the white wing of era returning. We of the square-rigged school recognise this, but we realise that sail training did inculcate certain valuable qualities, such as resourcefulness, stamina, and the ability to make shift, with very little to work on, in a high degree.

"The sail-trained man learnt thoroughly the gospel of what Mr Kipling calls 'The ties of Common Fank,' whereby all hands were required to fight and work tooth and nail to save not only their ship but their lives. They learnt to depend on one another, and understood that one shirker imperilled all hands. To hold on when holding-on was apparently impossible was their creed. Above all they learnt the full hostility of the sea and how to match its cunning; and due to such training they acquired qualities which brought many victories from threatened defeat. Further, they learnt to use not only muscle but brain, and the constant physical effort entailed in working a sailing ship toughened them and gave them steadiness in a crisis. Crises were constantly occurring, so that this training bred an alertness that cannot be acquired in steam."

Scientific Resource.

"In steam every scientific resource is at the sailor's disposal; he learns to rely on such aids rather than on his own adaptability. What alertness he has is lulled to the degree of atrophy. He depends on the engineering staff to see him through, and if that staff fails he is more or less 'in the air.' If a modern battleship breaks down it would be impossible to attempt to rig and sail her, but I assert that the adaptability engendered by sail training would enable officers and crew to use every stratagem to save their ship, and they would probably succeed."

"I recently questioned some steam-trained cadets, and was amazed to find how deficient they were in real handiness. They knew nothing of the sea's possibilities or the unforeseen emergencies of which the sea is capable. They could not keep their heads in crises because they had never experienced a crisis. The old combative spirit of sailing ship days was lulled; but soon afterwards their ship was disabled in the Indian Ocean, and her sail-trained master rigged her from derricks and awnings and sailed her 4,000 miles to port, and claimed sailing ship rates from the salvage tugs in addition! Had that master not been sail-trained his ship must have been lost or salvaged at vast cost."

"No amount of P. T. can compensate for lack of real work. Any pugilist knows that only ring work counts in the final emergency. So the skill and courage that enabled a sail-trained man to pass a weather carrying enabled him to face all difficulties with a stout heart."

"Another argument which Sir Sydney Fremantle has lost sight of in these days of economy: The sail-trained man knew how to splice ropes of all kinds—and did it! He was a man of all trades, and he did not mind the dockyard for such service. To-day sail-lofts are in regular use ashore—an added expense to a country that can ill afford it."

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada from Vancouver via ports is due here at 9 a.m. this morning and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf. She will sail for Manila at 2 p.m. in the evening.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 15.

Buyers	Sellers	Bids	Nominal	THURSDAY, SEPT. 15.	Buyers	Sellers	Bids	Nominal
				Banks				
				H.K. Banks				\$1,585
				Do. (London)				\$144
				Chartered Banks				\$21
				Merchants Bks. "A"				\$21
				Do. (new) "O"				\$21
				Bank of East Asia				\$107
				N. O. & S. Banks				\$71
				Am. O. Fin. Corp. N				
				China Fin. Corp. Ord.				
				Do. Prof.				
				Insurance				
				Canton Insurance				\$1,410
				Underwriters				\$3
				Union Insurance				\$3.05
				China Fire				\$4.90
				H.K. Fire				\$6.50
				International				\$1,900
				Shipping				
				Douglas				\$21
				Steamboats				\$21
				Lidos (prof.)				\$21
				Do. (def.)				\$21
				Shells				\$21
				Water-bots				\$21
				Mining				
				Bengal				\$17
				Vangela Gold Fld.				\$2.65
				Kailans				\$2.65
				Langkats (single)				\$2.65
				Explorations				\$2.65
				Shanghai Loans				\$2.65
				Rails				\$2.65
				Tonghai Mines				\$2.65
				Banguet Explosives				\$2.65
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
				H.K. & K. Wharves				\$138
				Provisionals (old)				\$4.85
				H.K. Lands				\$2.50
				H.K. & W. Docks				\$2.50
				S. China Motors "A"				\$2.50
				Do. "B"				\$2.50
				Shanghai Docks				\$2.50
				New Engineering				\$2.50
				Hongkong				\$2.50
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
				H.K. Hotels (old)				\$10.70
				Do. (new)				\$10.70
				H.K. Lands				\$7.50
				Shanghai Lands				\$7.50
				Metropolitan Lands				\$7.50
				H.K. Estates				\$7.50
				China Do.				\$7.50
				Do. Debentures				\$7.50
				Hampshire				\$7.50
				Asia Realities "A"				\$7.50
				Asia Realities "B"				\$7.50
				China Estates				\$7.50
				Colton Mills				\$7.50
				Ever				\$7.50
				Shui Chok				\$7.50
				Zong Sing				\$7.50
				Wing On Textiles (S)				\$7.50
				Public Utilities				
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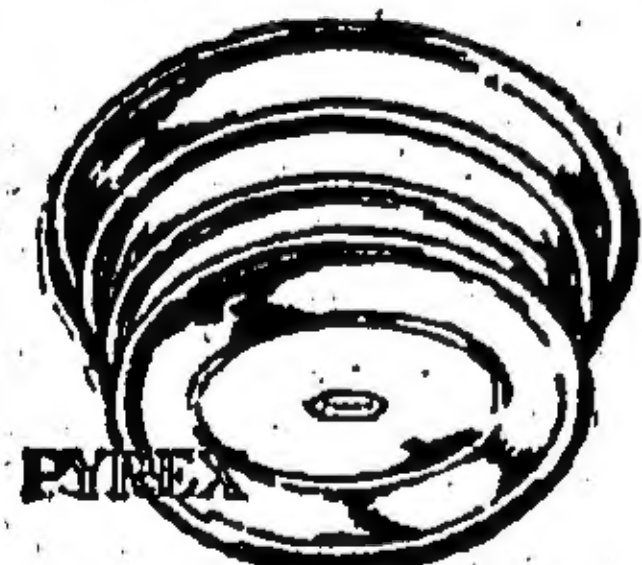
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GUNNERS AT PLAY.

FINALS OF AQUATIC
SPORTS.

LARGE GATHERING AT V.R.C.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the Victoria Recreation Club swimming bath, yesterday when the Royal Artillery held the finals of their Aquatic Sports.

A large crowd was present, among whom were Lt.-Col. J. H. Thom, D.S.O., R.A., Lt.-Col. K. F. Dunsterville, D.S.O., R.A., and Mrs. Dunsterville and many other officers together with their ladies, also many gunners from each of the three batteries and representatives of the H.K.S. Brigade.

Most of the events on the programme counted towards the Aggregate Cup, in the ratio of six points for a win and three for second place. Previous results were the half mile Team Race and the Cross Harbour Swim. At the end of yesterday's sports the results were 33 points for 12th Battery and 31 points for 20th Battery. The water polo match, to be played shortly, will decide where the cup will go.

It will be seen from the results that Gunner Oliver did exceedingly well by winning the 25 yards dash and the 150 yards Gunners' Championship and taking second place in the diving and the 50 yards sprint, not to speak of the part he played in team races. In fact so many events did he win that a gunner was heard to ask him during the prize giving, why he didn't bring his kit bag with him! The 50 yards novices breast stroke race was very good. It gave one the feeling of seeing swimming in its "old style." Gunner Connor won this event by doing two lengths in 40 seconds. During the 150 yards novices race, Gunner Scott had to retire with cramp.

The Officers' Race was also popular. Capt. A. H. Munson of H.K.S. Brigade won, closely followed by Capt. F. W. Webb, H.K.S. Brigade R.A. It will be remembered that Capt. Webb, A.D.C. to H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, was among the competitors in the military harbour swim; he takes a keen interest in all forms of aquatics.

The Girls' Race.

The Gunners took particular notice of the girls' race and such cries as "Come on 12th" and "Buck up 20th" echoed across the bath. First and second places were taken by the sisters Madge and Doreen Williams.

In the boys' race, young Webb went off before the start. The troops at once took up the cry of "Go on 'Webby'" and "stick it boy" until someone dived into the bath and informed six-year-old "Webby" that the race had not yet begun.

The H.K.S. Battery Relay Race was also a popular item on the programme. The Indians worked on the principal of "every muscle move together" and produced a fast pace, something between the over-arm stroke and a dog-paddle. Another favourite trick in the relay was to leap into the water rather than dive, and in many cases this brought the competitor nearly a quarter of the way up the bath. He was actually "swimming" before he reached the water! Indian "bottle cries" echoed across the bath.

Before the diving the gunners encouraged Willie Webb and Harry Clarke to perform swallow dives from the highest board, some 30 feet high; the boys live at Stonecutters with the battery and are seldom out of the water. The diving was won by Gunner Hyde, one of the most popular fellows in 20th Battery.

Col. Dunsterville swam in the Officers' N.C.O.s' race, together with Major Barry and Capt. Carter.

At the conclusion of the Sports the prizes were presented by Mrs. Dunsterville, wife of Lt.-Col. K. F. Dunsterville, D.S.O., R.A., assisted by Capt. Dunbar, who at the conclusion, called for three cheers for Mrs. Dunsterville.

Results.

The results were as follows:—
25 yds. Dash.—1st, Gunner Oliver, 12th Bat. (12 1/5 sec.); 2nd, Bdr. Williams, 12th Bat.; 3rd, Lt. Bdr. Dolman, 20th Bat.
Unit Relay Race.—1st 12th Battery; 2nd, 20th Battery.
Novices 50 yds. Breast.—1st, Gunner Connor, 20th Bat. (40 sec.); 2nd, Gunner Trewatt, 24th Bat.; 3rd, Gunner Ward, 24th Bat.
100 yards H.K.S.—1st, Gunner Singh, 2nd, Hav. Maj. Alfa Ditta; 3rd, Gunner Jaswant Singh.
150 yards Gunners.—1st, Gunner Oliver, 12th Bat. (2 min. 39 2/5 sec.); 2nd, Gunner Harris, 20th Bat.; 3rd, Gunner Hyde, 20th Bat.
150 yards W.O. & N.C.O.s.—1st, Bdr. Frost, 12th Bat. (2 min. 67 sec.); 2nd, Bdr. Dolman, 20th Bat. (2 min. 10 sec.).
(Continued on next column.)

ALEX JACKSON'S EXPERIMENT.

SIGNED ON FOR NEW CLUB
FOR A MONTH.

TO BE PAID ON HIS VALUE.

Alex Jackson, the famous Scottish international winger who has been put on Chelsea F.C.'s transfer list at £8,000, is making the boldest experiment a great football player ever made.

He has signed to play for Ashton National, a Cheshire League club, for one month!

Here is Jackson's own story. "I have agreed to play for Ashton National in four home matches. In other words, I have signed for four weeks."

"I shall be paid, far more than it is possible for any man in the Football League to be paid. The League maximum is £8 per week, and I hope to get three or four times as much as that."

"It is an experiment for both parties. The club see possibilities in exploiting a star player as an attraction, just as League cricket clubs have done, for my own part, I stand or fall by my own value; I shall get what I am worth, no more and no less."

"I have always disagreed with the fixing of a maximum wage for the professional footballer. Nowadays he is a public entertainer, like a theatre artist. In this offer I see a chance of testing my theories."

"If this four-week contract proves the idea to be sound, the club and I are going to arrange future terms on the basis that I get what I am worth."

"I am in strict training and I shall give the crowd value for their money."

"This will be the first time since I turned professional at the age of 18 that I have ever played outside a League or international team. Only once have I ever played even in a reserve side. That was when I returned from America not completely fit."

"But I see this idea simply as sound business. Moreover, unless I sign for a club outside the League or go abroad I cannot play football at all."

Love—and Money.

"I have played football because I love the game ever since I was a child and have frequently refused good offers outside football. I feel now that I should make some money out of it—more than the wage permitted in the League."

The Evening News learns that the Ashton club have other ambitions. They are negotiating with Naylor, the Newcastle United half-back, whose transfer fee has been reduced from £3,500 to £2,500. Chelsea F.C. paid more than £8,000 for Jackson less than two years ago. But they can claim no fee from Ashton National.

Bat.; 3rd, Bdr. Harris, 20th Bat. Open 100 Yards.—1st, Pte. Jamieson, A. & S.H.; 2nd, Pte. Campbell, S.W.D.

Officers' 100 Yards.—1st, Capt. A. H. Munson, H.K.S. (1min. 15 4/5 sec.); 2nd, Capt. F. W. Webb, H.K.S.; 3rd, Lt. Birt, 20th Bat.

50 yds. Dash.—1st, Gunner Williams, 12th Bat. (27 sec.); 2nd, Gunner Oliver, 12th Bat.; 3rd, Gunner Samler, 24th Bat.

Girls' 25 Yards.—1st, Madge Williams; 2nd, Doreen Williams; 3rd, Miss Fleetwood.

Boys' 50 Yards.—1st, Douglas Burns; 2nd, Rex Burns; 3rd, Harry Clarke.

Officers' N.C.O.s.—1st, Officers' Battery Relay.—1st, 12th Battery; 2nd, 20th Battery. H.K.S. Relay.—1st, 5th Battery; 2nd, 4th Battery.

Diving.—1st, Gunner Hyde, 20th Bat.; 2nd, Gunner Oliver, 12th Bat.; 3rd, Gunner Gardiner, 20th Bat.

150 Yards Breast, Back and Free Style.—1st, Gunner Solley, 20th Bat.; 2nd, Gunner Harris, 12th Bat.; 3rd, Gunner Hyde, 20th Bat.

The Officials.

The officials were as follows:—
President.—Lt.-Col. J. H. Thom, D.S.O., R.A.
Referee.—Lt.-Col. K. F. Dunsterville, D.S.O., R.A.
Judges and Starters.—Major V. R. Guise, O.B.S., M.C., R.A.; Major J. R. Barry, D.S.O., R.A.; Major H. M. J. McIntyre, R.A.; Capt. E. C. J. Barry, R.A.; Capt. W. S. Wright, R.A.; R.S.M. R. A. Lambert, R.A.
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Hon. Secretary.—Capt. G. R. Dunbar, R.A.

CRICKET NOTES.

THE NEW SEASON.

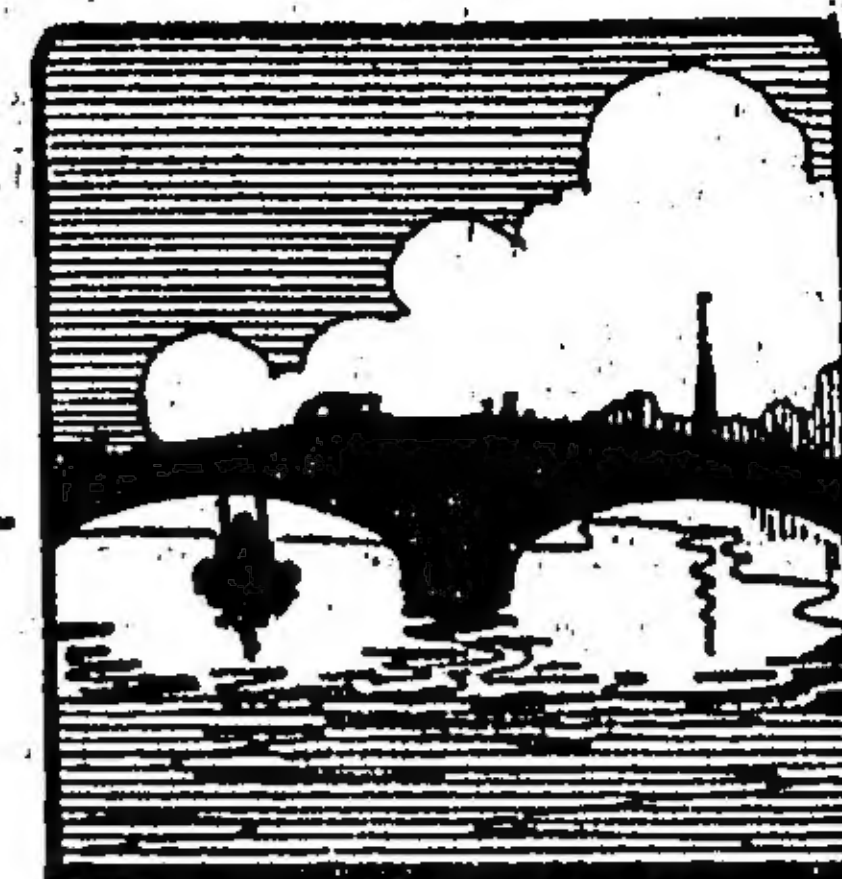
Thanks no doubt to the particularly cool weather we have enjoyed this month the Nets were put up at fifteen minutes on Wednesday last. Hearing with joy the click of the bat being duly applied to the ball, as I lay upon a bed of sickness, I lay myself ten to one that I should find my old friend E. J. R. Mitchell there, and on crawling to the verandah of my burrow I found I was quite right. I could not see the others. But it is pleasant to know that the game is with us again.

The New K.C.C. Pavilion.

There is a most important function on to-morrow when the new Pavilion at the Kowloon Cricket Club is to be opened. The match is Kowloon versus the World (or perhaps the Rest of the Colony). J. C. Lyle (Capt.), F. Goodwin, Capt. Moir, N. A. MacKay, E. F. and E. C. Fincher, F. W. S. Smith, C. G. Burnett, F. E. Lawrence, W. C. Hung, Hunter, are I believe included in the Kowloon team though I have not heard recently, while Hancock captains the "Visitors" with Sayer, and Richardson from the Civil Service, Southern from the Navy and a pretty useful representative team. I hope to give some account of the match on Monday.

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TARZAN IS COMING

OPENING OF THE K.C.C.

CLUB HOUSE.

A CORRECTION.

The official opening of the Kowloon Cricket Club's new club-house, which takes place to-morrow afternoon, will be performed by Mrs. W. T. Southorn.

TIPOO SULTAN.

GREAT GRAND-DAUGHTER
DIES IN CALCUTTA

Calcutta, Aug. 17.—Sahibzadi Mahmudi Begum, great-granddaughter of Tipoo Sultan of Mysore, died at her Calcutta residence on August 15. She was the daughter of the late Prince Anwar Shah, and the sister of the late Prince Muhammad Bukhtyar Shah, C.I.E. Her husband, Shibrada Nawab Ahmed Hosain Khan, predeceased her by eight months. She leaves an only son, Shibrada Amjad Hosain, to mourn her loss.

THE CHILDREN'S CORNER



edited by UNCLE JACK.

A DOG'S TRICK.



Mankind has taught dogs a great many tricks of all sorts. But there is one habit which dogs have taught men, and which they do not always make use of when they might.

It is a natural instinct in a dog to throw itself on its back when afraid or wishing to avoid a fight. In the same way, if fierce dogs rush out at a man, and he lies or crouches down, they will not molest him.

His attitude reassures and calms them. Ulysses, the great traveller, noticed this trait long ago, and it is still true to-day. Visitors to islands in the Mediterranean make use of this knowledge.

In the East especially, where there are herds of half-wild or mongrel dogs in the villages, the natives frequently employ this device to save themselves from attack.

Standing upright on two feet is in itself strange and hostile to the ancient instincts of four-footed beasts. When a bear stands up it is usually a sign that he means business.

So when next you meet a hungry grizzly it is far safer to go on all fours!

DO YOU KNOW

THAT

Spain's 50-posita notes bearing the portrait of ex-King Alfonso are being supplanted with ones carrying the portrait of the seventeenth century painter Velazquez!

The increase in farm population of the United States during 1931 was the largest in the last 10 years!

Leaves from trees on the lawn should be removed, as they do not assist the growth of grass unless completely decayed!

Robinson Crusoe's Island, belonging to Chile, now has a population of 235!

After remitting all fines on overdue books, the Washington Public Library recovered 14,000 volumes!

A new means of attracting tourists, adopted in Spain, involves a television station to radiocast scenery!

A tennis net should be three feet high in the centre!

A cubic foot of lead weighs over 700 pounds!

Nails with blunt, instead of sharp, ends reduce the splitting of wood considerably!

OUR CONTINUED STORY.

A FARMYARD DEBATE.

"Well," said Old Owl, "suppose they do. Didn't you ever read what is said of me?" There was an old owl lived in an oak

Wisky, wasky, weedle
And every word he ever spoke
Was fiddle, faddle, feedle.

Now did any of you ever hear me say anything of the sort?"

"No! No! No!" shouted the crowd.

"Of course not," Old Owl agreed. "However they got the idea I can't tell. But it seems to amuse them. Why, do you know, I've been told that hundreds of children have laughed about it. So why should I care? I think it is pretty generally understood that someone was just having a joke on me the day they wrote that. It doesn't bother me in the least."

Everyone stared at everyone else, and no one said a word—not a cluck, nor a cackle, nor a moo, nor a quack, nor a grunt was to be heard.

"I'm afraid you don't go at it in the right way," went on Old Owl. "Do you get out a smile and put it on when you hear such things?"

Cow shook her head. "No." So did Diah, and Cat, and all the rest.

"Oh, well, then," wise Old Owl explained, "of course you will be offended. It's the smiling does the work. Now, all together—let's try it!"

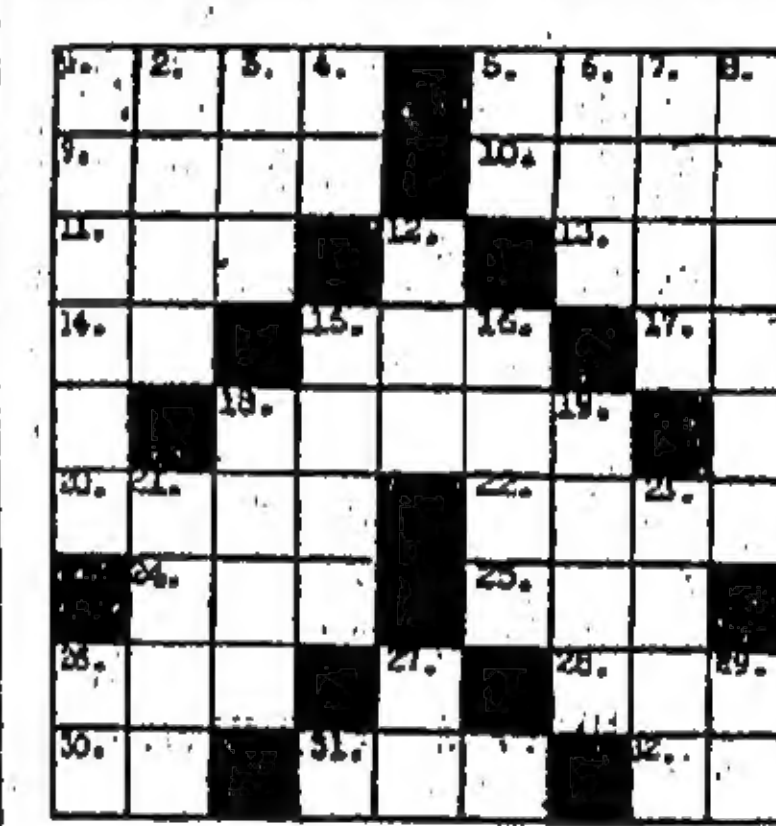
Everyone put on his very best smile—did them, such a gubble. Diah declared that she ran away with the spoon, and she laughed until every drop of milk she held was spilled. Black Hen cackled away at a great rate that she laid eggs for gentlemen, and laughed and laughed to think how funny it was. Gossie Gender insisted that he wandered upstairs and down stairs, and burst into loud Quack-quacks with the thought of such foolishness. And Cock said that he and all cocks crow in the morn to tell folks to rise, and he fairly split the air with his noisy Cock-a-doodle-doo!

"You see," said wise Old Owl, "it's the smiling does it!"

But no one could hear a word he said for all the barking, and cackling, and mowing, and quacking, and grunting that was going on below.

[THE END.]

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Across.

- 1.—Open space or garden
- 2.—To boast
- 3.—Dry
- 4.—Postmaster-General
- 5.—Not well
- 6.—E.S.
- 7.—Has four wheels
- 8.—Steam Laundry
- 9.—Plenty of this in the harbour
- 10.—What a top does
- 11.—Short for "Composition"
- 12.—Not two or three or four
- 13.—This rhymes with "Dough"
- 14.—The first part of Ireland
- 15.—You get this in geography lessons
- 16.—Saint (abbrev.)
- 17.—Open (poetical)
- 18.—Telegraphic Transfers

Down.

- 1.—Short name for newspapers
- 2.—Not legs
- 3.—You get this in a sailing ship
- 4.—Kowloon Docks (abbrev.)
- 5.—British Guiana (abbrev.)
- 6.—This rhymes with RYE
- 7.—Plural of "all"
- 8.—A horse does this when running
- 9.—A big kitter
- 10.—For naughty children only
- 11.—Received (abbrev.)
- 12.—A drink
- 13.—Space
- 14.—A drink
- 15.—Opposite to "Isn't"
- 16.—Daily Press
- 17.—Private Teacher (abbrev.)

(Solution to-morrow)

MY FAVOURITE COLOUR.

BLUE.

If your favourite shade is blue, Many kind acts you will do. You will make the best of cooks, But you don't like lesson books. Of laziness you must beware, And you are fond of open air. All animals are friends to you, And you are keen on flowers too. (This is the last favourite colour I hope you have saved them all!)

SITTING OF FULL COURT.

LEAVE TO APPEAL SOUGHT.

The Full Court yesterday heard an application for leave to appeal against a judgement recently given in favour of Ng Koon Tai, defendant. The Court comprised the Chief Justice, (Sir Joseph Kemp) and the Puisne Judge, (Mr. Justice Wood).

The original action was for \$800, being money lent by the plaintiff to the defendant.

After the issue of the writ, the plaintiff under an interim attachment seized a junk belonging to the defendants but during the hearing, the trial judge made an interpleader order for the junk to be returned.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. C. Y. Kwan, appeared for the plaintiff, and intimated that the appeal would be against both the interpleader order and the judgement.

Mr. Sheldon said the judgement was against the weight of evidence, there being no reason, on the evidence, to disbelieve the plaintiff. The evidence of the plaintiff, books and a promissory note, were either forged or proved. This was a question of the credibility of witness and, he added, no-one was going to say that the judge's mind below was not influenced by the evidence which was produced before him in the interpleader proceedings in this action. In his submission, plaintiff had corroborated up to the hilt whereas defendant had not corroborated whatever.

Later Mr. Sheldon submitted that providing leave to appeal was granted, that he must appeal for the case to be heard *de novo*. It was a matter of great importance to the men concerned, as they did not like to have it in the air that they had been guilty of perjury, fraud and forgery. He thought leave to appeal should be granted. Their Lordships reserved judgement.

POLICE LAUNCH SUNK.

EARLY MORNING COLLISION IN YAUMATI.

No. 5 police launch was rammed and sunk by the Yaumati Ferry launch, Man Sang, just inside the Yaumati Typhoon Shelter in the early hours of yesterday morning.

Sergeant Feeley and other occupants of the launch were all rescued by the ferry launch and were none the worse for their enforced ducking.

After the collision the police launch sank rapidly and yesterday only her funnel was visible above water. The damage to the Man Sang was practically negligible.

CRIMINAL SESSION.

ELEVEN CASES DOWN FOR HEARING.

Eleven cases have been set down for hearing at the September Sessions of the Criminal Court, commencing next Monday, September 19. The list is as follows:—

Before the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp):—
-Lau Tak Tai, breach of deportation order.

Young Chu, breach of deportation order.

Wong Shun, alias Wong Wai, (1) burglary and larceny; (2) shop-breaking and larceny; (3) breach of deportation order.

Ng Nam, unlawful possession of arms and ammunition.

Li Yau, unlawful possession of arms.

Yip Kau, (1) wounding with intent; (2) wounding.

Before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood):—
-Kwong Cheung, alias Kwong Cheong, alias Kwong Chong, alias Kwong Sui Chuen, breach of deportation order.

Cheung Yiu, robbery by two or more.

Hsia Ijo Tani (1) falsification of accounts; (2) and (3) uttering forged dies; (4) embezzlement.

Leung Chiu Hang, uttering a threatening letter.

RECENT SHOOTING TRAGEDY.

WILL OF SON OF LATE MR. WOO HAY TONG.

Woo Pak Luk, alias Percy Woo, son of Mr. Woo Hay Tong, left local estate to the value of \$4,100. Letters of Administration have been granted to his widow, Woo Lim Shi, alias Alice Lim.

It was on June 17 that Mr. Percy Woo was shot dead in the offices of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire by a cousin. His father, the late Mr. Woo Hay Tong, was wounded and succumbed a few days later.

Mr. Percy Woo left a widow, a daughter of six and a son of four to mourn his loss.

OBITUARY.

COMPRADORE OF KOWLOON DOCK.

MR. LO CHUNG KUE.

The death occurred yesterday at his residence at 97, Caine Road, of Mr. Lo Chung Kue, J.P., compradore of the Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.

The deceased gentleman, who was 50 years of age, was educated at Queen's College and joined the Dock Co. 40 years ago as assistant to his father, succeeding him as compradore a few years later. He had taken a very keen interest in public affairs. He had been twice Member of the Board of Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, being Chairman of Directors of the Hospital in 1921. He had also served on three occasions on the Committee of Directors of the Po Leung Kuk, being Chairman of that Institution in 1927. He was President of the Ying Wah College Boy Scouts and a Member of the Court of the Hong Kong University, Chairman Director of the Hong Kong & Yaumati Ferry Co., member of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce and of the Chinese Merchants Club, Chairman of the District Dispensary and Vice-Chairman of the Compradores' Association.

He was appointed Justice of the Peace in 1922, and in 1923 the Chinese Government conferred on him the Chi Ho Decoration of the 4th Class in recognition of his services in connection with the typhoon and flood disaster in Swatow and district. Mr. Lo had also been three times a member of the District Watchmen's Committee.

He is mourned by two daughters and five sons, Mr. Lo Kun Un, B.Sc. formerly Chief Engineer of the Swatow Municipal Government; Mr. Lo Kun Ying, of the Robert Dollar Steamship Co.; Mr. Lo Kun Hang, and Mr. Lo Kun Kan, who share the duties of assistant compradores of the Dock Co. and the youngest son, Lo Kun Ho, who is still at school. Mr. Lo's wife predeceased him in 1928.

Mr. Lo's death will be regretted by his many friends in the European and Chinese community.

OFFICER'S WIFE ROBBED.

PEPPER THROWN IN HER EYES.

BOWEN ROAD INCIDENT.

Mrs. Caruana, the wife of a Naval officer, who lives at 13a, Macdonnell Road, had an unpleasant encounter with a footpad on Wednesday, when, at a spot 200 yards from the Military Hospital in Bowen Road, a young Chinese appeared on the scene and followed her with such persistence that she became alarmed.

In an endeavour to avoid him, she sat down on a bench by the roadside, but the man, who had walked on for some distance turned, and retraced his steps to where she was sitting. In broken English, he then demanded money of her.

Mrs. Caruana refused, and the man immediately took a handful of pepper from his pocket and threw it in her eyes. She instinctively let go of her bag and the robber ran off with it.

The handbag, of brown crocodile skin, contained a small sum of money and articles amounting altogether in value to \$27.50.

HEARD ON THE PEAK TRAM.

NO. 3: CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE-AND THE CIVIL EQUIVALENT.

(Mr. Married Man and Mr. Lawyer are again sharing a seat on the Peak Tram. Time 9 a.m.)

Mr. Married Man, who wears a thoughtful and harassed look:— I have been thinking a lot about a certain clause in this Divorce Ordinance. For the purpose of the Act what is meant by Christian Marriage?

Mr. Lawyer: I think it is rather doubtful. My own interpretation is that any marriage in any part of the world that has been conducted according to Christian rites and ceremonies comes within the meaning of the words.

Mr. M. M.: There are queer sects calling themselves Christians, but whose claim would be rejected by the major Churches.

Mr. L.: I think all Christian marriages are monogamous.

Mr. M. M.: What about the Mormons?

Mr. L.: I think that Mormonism is prohibited in the United States and is unknown elsewhere. In any case that is the matter for interpretation.

Mr. M. M.: But monogamy cannot be the sole test. Many non-Christian sects are monogamous.

Mr. L.: I think that monogamy is one of the few things common to all Christian sects. I do not think that any marriage that has been conducted according to the rites of any known Christian Church would be outside the definition unless the sect allowed polygamy.

Mr. M. M.: What does the Civil Equivalent to Christian marriage mean?

Mr. L.: Apparently in Singapore the Ordinance differs in that it only applies to persons who are professing Christians; and it may be that the words Civil Equivalent to Christian Marriage have been evolved in Hong Kong. If that is so, I rather suspect the draughtsman of using words knowing that they will evoke a considerable amount of discussion which will enable him to redraft the phrase as a result of criticism.

Mr. M.: Then the provisions as to the necessity for professing Christianity do not apply to Hong Kong.

Mr. L.: I think that is quite clear.

Mr. M.: Can a Hong Kong Chinese who is not a Christian get a divorce?

Mr. L.: Yes. If he has been married in the Land Office (*etc.*).

Mr. M.: Even if he is a Taoist and takes a concubine?

Mr. L.: I think you are mixing up two different problems. The Court has jurisdiction if the marriage which it is asked to dissolve was contracted in the Land Office. With regard to the concubine you raise horrible questions of condonation by the wife.

Mr. M. M.: But suppose she never condoned a concubine?

Mr. L.: If the Court finds that the marriage had been properly conducted and that there has been adultery, which the wife has not condoned, then she will, in my opinion, be able to get a divorce.

Mr. M. M.: Even if he brings evidence to show that neither he nor his wife has ever been a Christian?

Mr. L.: I don't think that would make the least difference.

Mr. M. M.: Marriage in the Registry Office covers the whole thing.

Mr. L.: Yes. If domicile can also be proved, that would give the Court jurisdiction.

Mr. M. M.: Are many Chinese married in the Registry Office?

Mr. L.: I think as a journalist you are in the better position to find out. You have only to go down to the Land Office and count up the number of marriages.

The notice Board at the Supreme Court always seems to me to be pretty full, but I have never counted these announcements and I do not know for how long a period they are posted. There are I believe vital statistics in the Colony.

Mr. M. M.: Again thoughtful! Are there not many elderly gentlemen in the Colony with numerous concubines? What about them?

Mr. L.: I think you are delving a little bit too deeply. I should say that all the elderly gentlemen that I have ever heard of can sleep as comfortably as it is possible for so many married men.

Mr. M. M.: Still it does seem strange to me that in such proceedings the defence cannot be raised that neither party is a Christian, even though they were married in the Land Office?

Mr. L.: What you asked me was my opinion. It does not follow that my opinion is correct, and

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GOLF REUNION.

FORTHCOMING MEETING IN KOWLOON.

Arrangements have been made for the annual reunion of golfing members of the Kowloon Cricket Club, which will take place at Kowloon City, by permission of the Kowloon Golf Club, on Sunday, September 25.

Members of the Kowloon Golf Club are requested to note that starting times have been reserved for this match from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The Mead Shield will be competed for on Medal Play over 18 holes. This shield was first put up for competition when the Kowloon Cricket Club had a Golfing Section and shared the King's Park course with the United Services Recreation Club and the Bowling Green Club. When King's Park was taken over by the Government, the Kowloon Golf Club was formed and a course developed at Kowloon City. In the formation of the Kowloon Golf Club the three Clubs already mentioned played a prominent part, and each year the Kowloon Golf Club grants the use of its course for the annual reunion of K.C.C. golfers, many of whom are among the founders of the Club.

Members of the Kowloon Cricket Club who wish to participate are requested to sign the list which has been posted at the K.C.C. Club House or to send their names (together with handicaps, if any) to the Special Secretary, Mr. E. R. Price, c/o the Chamber of Commerce. Tiffin will be arranged for on the 25th at the Kowloon Golf Club's new Club House, and foursomes will be played in the afternoon.

in any case until such a defence has been raised and overruled by a competent court, whose decisions are binding on the judges, it is capable of argument though I do not think it would receive very serious consideration in view of the clarity of the words used. And above all in view of the fact that the ordinance "deliberately" departs from the Singapore model in this respect; and also the Marriage Ordinance has been altered to make it quite clear that marriage at the Land Office is within the meaning of the Ordinance.

Mr. M. M.: That is rather unfair to Chinese people who have been married for some time, and thought that they could follow the usual Chinese custom.

Mr. L.: I find it safer to keep my political views to myself.

Mr. M. M.: It seems to me like false pretences. Fixing people with the responsibilities of Christian marriage when they were thinking that they were merely making a clear record of a Chinese marriage.

Mr. L.: I think that in practice these points would present very little difficulty. You must remember that we are encouraged and to some extent our Courts are conducted according to the Ethics of Confucius.

Mr. M. M.: What do you mean by that?

Mr. L.: I mean that every end is compelled to study Confucius and to a great extent he becomes imbued with Confucianism, and in that he is encouraged in what I call the Buck Wood attitude or in other words, "what I say is right, and it is right because I say it and no other reason is necessary." After all that is the basis of Chinese law and I am not at all sure that it is not quite sufficient.

Mr. M. M. (making a shot at it): There I agree with you. (After a pause): Is there any other point of real interest in the Bill?

Mr. L.: There are many points that will be raised, probably by the Attorney-General in Committee for the purpose of enabling him to improve the Bill if that is possible. There is one thing definitely that I don't like, and that is the power of the Court to give a decree absolute within three months, whereas the right to appeal does not extend for six months.

Mr. M. M.: It seems to me that the Courts will let themselves in for real difficulties over that Civil Equivalent clause but the rest of it seems fairly workable.

Mr. L. (Sagely): Wherever you get a law which intimately affects people at large, like the Workmen's Compensation Act or Divorce Law, you are bound to get a considerable amount of argument in the Courts. As regards the Chinese I think a new generation will have to arise before the Ordinance is made much use of. Don't forget, very few Chinese have a domicile in the Colony, and the Chinese woman is (in theory) consulted before a concubine is taken into the house.

Mr. M. M.: I think there will be a lot of trouble with the younger generation.

(The tram comes to a halt).

Y.M.C.A. MEETING.

COMMITTEES FOR WINTER ACTIVITIES ELECTED.

A well attended meeting of members of the European Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, was held in the Association's West Lounge last night, when committees were appointed to draw up the forthcoming winter's programmes of sporting social, and literary activities.

Mr. F. S. Cassidy, of the Board of Directors of the Y.M.C.A., occupied the chair, and was supported by Mr. J. H. Hunt, O.B.E., and Mr. Ingram, joint secretaries to the association.

After the election of the various committees, several resident members present put forward the suggestion that a House Committee be formed with the object of placing before the Board of Directors any requests that may be felt necessary to be made in the interests of all resident members. The Chairman undertook to discuss this matter with the members of the Board. The various Committees elected were:—

1.—Social Committee:—Messrs. Dwyer, Grenham, Truc, Ferguson, Jeffries, Gray, Bates.

2.—Billiards Committee:—Messrs. Lewis, Tate, Richards, Thompson.

3.—Literary and Debating Committee:—Mr. Cassidy (Chairman), Dr. Allen, Messrs. Crozier, Ferguson, Gray, Dinahale, Skinner.

4.—Amateur Dramatic Club Committee:—Messrs. Cornelius, Luke, Whitta, Bates, Sweet, Grenham.

5.—Golf Committee:—Messrs. Russell, Milne, Hampton, Martin.

6.—Camera Committee:—Messrs. Grenham, Dangerfield, Stockton, Bergaust.

7.—Library Committee:—Dr. Allen, Messrs. Price, Davies, Crozier, Marshall, Jeffries.

8.—Swimming Committee:—Messrs. Selk, Raiton, Garrod, Campbell, Harvey.

9.—Sports Committee:—Messrs. Gray, Fowler, Harvey, Owen, McLennan, Wright, Ingram, jr.

AT THE PENINSULA HOTEL.

LIST OF GUESTS.

The following are guests staying at the Peninsula Hotel:—

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Mr. A. L. Caplan, Mr. R. L. Clark and family, Dr. J. E. H. Cogan, Mrs. E. Cogan, Gen. M. A. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Craig, Mr. F. H. Crappell.

Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Devonport, Col. and Mrs. E. S. Doughty, Dr. and Mrs. Drenkhahn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Easterbrook, Miss D. Faye, Mr. C. R. Ferrajolo, Mrs. Ferrand, Capt. and Mrs. W. Field-Hook, Mr. R. H. Fischer, Capt. Frame, Mr. J. Friquet.

Mr. R. W. Gardiner, Mr. I. H. Geare, Mr. L. L. Gilson, Mr. W. T. Goodwin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gould, Col. and Mrs. F. E. Gowan, Mr. T. M. Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall, Major A. L. Harris, Mr. E. Hausmann, Mr. Theo. Henriques, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hodgson, Mrs. L. Howie.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jones, Mr. L. Kadoorie, Mr. E. A. Kinsey, Mr. T. S. Kikony.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lamorio, Mr. G. B. Lane, Mr. P. E. Lavoche, Mrs. and Miss Laurie, Col. J. G. Lecky, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ledesma and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Leslie.

Mr. T. B. Manzan, Mr. and Mrs. E. McDiarmid, Mr. E. J. McGann, Mr. W. L. McKenzie, Mr. E. H. Melbye, Mrs. M. Mien, Mr. A. H. Morant.

Mrs. D. Norman.

Mr. B. F. Parker, Mr. A. M. Parker, Lt.-Comdr. J. M. Park, Mr. W. J. Pirie.

Mrs. G. A. Ralph, Mr. F. Reck, Mr. F. Reinshagen, Mrs. A. Rendall, Mr. P. J. Rodney, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Rabino.

Mr. A. Salnikoff, Col. and Mrs. C. R. Savile, Mr. E. Scott, Mr. L. Scott, Mr. E. G. Smith, Mr. R. Stillard, Mr. A. Stockink, Mr. L. E. Stone, Miss T. Svetlanova.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Ulderup.

Mr. L. P. Van Calcar, Mr. M. J. Van Schervan.

Mr. J. Watts, Miss P. Webster, Mr. J. Weissmann, Mr. H. E. Van Der Wijk, Mr. A. C. Wilcox, Mr. E. S. Winterbottom, Miss E. Woliner.

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All entries should, if possible, be in the hands of the Hon. Secretary R.H.K.Y.C., by noon on the day of the race and competing boats should be at the starting line by 3.30 p.m. Post entries will have to be received.

Courtesy.—Start from Channel Rocks, thence to Kowloon Rock (P), Mark off Yacht Club (S), Mark off East Rock Beacon (P), finish across Yacht Club line leaving mark boat to Port and continue sailing until gun fire for 5th sh.

A launch will leave Queen's Statue Pier at 3 p.m. for the convenience of Members and the General Public.

R. J. VERNALL,
Hon. Secretary, R.H.K.Y.C.
16th September, 1932. [2564]

NOTICE.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LTD.

(INCORPORATED IN HONG KONG.)

CERTIFICATE No. 3422 for Ten Silver Shares, H.K. \$25 per Share paid up, Numbered 23661/23670 in the China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd. now converted into Thirty four Gold Shares in the British Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd. standing in the name of KHOO BENG CHONG (Deceased) of Singapore has been declared LOST, and if at the Expiration of One Month from the date hereof the above Document be not forthcoming the Said Certificate will be deemed cancelled and of No Effect, and a NEW Certificate for the Thirty four Gold Shares will be issued in its stead by the Company.

PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 16th September, 1932. [2563]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to notify their Patrons that owing to Ball Room renovations which are being effected at the REPULSE BAY HOTEL it will not be possible to hold the usual Dinner and Tea Dances there on the following dates:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER (Dinner Dance)

SATURDAY, 24th SEPTEMBER (Dinner Dance)

SUNDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER (Tea Dance)

WEDNESDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER (Dinner Dance)

It is further notified that Dinner Dances on the dates above mentioned, namely SEPTEMBER 21st, 24th and 28th, will take place at the HONG KONG HOTEL.

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NOTICE.

THE REEL CLUB.

THE Sixth Annual General Meeting of the Reel Club will take place at the Helms May Institute on MONDAY, 19th SEPTEMBER, at 5.15 p.m. All members and prospective members are particularly requested to attend. The first practice of the season will commence immediately after the meeting and practices will be held on each successive MONDAY, up to the 21st NOVEMBER.

T. P. SAUNDERSON,
Hon. Secretary.
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PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE undermentioned certificate for 50 Fully Paid up shares in this Company registered in the name of Wong Fat has been lost; and should this certificate not be produced to the Company before 16th September, 1932, a new certificate for the said shares will be issued and the old certificate No. 268 will thereafter be treated by this Company as NULL & VOID.

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RECENT KOWLOON TRAGEDY.

EUROPEAN FOUND DEAD.

DEATH ENQUIRY VERDICT.

The tragic circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. John Kanis, a native of Amsterdam and an agent of the Commercial and Credit Information Bureau, who was found dead in a bathroom at the Trocadero Hotel, Kowloon, on the morning of August 4, were inquired into at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday.

After medical evidence had been given with regard to the cause of death—gas-poisoning—the Coroner, Mr. J. A. Friess, read the deposition of deceased's wife, who is at present in Shanghai. In it she stated that she first met her husband in Shanghai in 1928, and was married to him in Hong Kong in May this year.

On the night of the tragedy, her husband told her that he was going to a party at the Peak, and that he would not be back that night. Next morning she was informed by the police that her husband had been found dead in the Trocadero Hotel. She and her husband had always been on good terms, and after his death she found that he had been in financial difficulties and had incurred debts both in Hong Kong and Shanghai. Her husband was earning \$150 a month.

"The Man Upstairs."

Evidence with regard to the finding of the body was next given by Inspector Lane who stated that he found deceased lying in the empty bath clad only in pyjamas. The room was full of gas, and he found a pipe, about four feet long, with one end in the geyser and the other near deceased's head. On the floor was a book, "The Man Upstairs," which was lying open. He found three letters in a case, one addressed to his wife and the other two to friends.

In the letter to his wife he asked her to forgive him for what he had done, but in the other two he accused the company, with which he was employed, of deception, and said that he misunderstood the terms on which he was engaged, and that he has not been fairly dealt with.

The proprietor of the Trocadero Hotel, Mr. F. Lowe, stated that deceased rented a room on the third floor of the Hotel on the night of August 3. So far as witness knew, he was in cheerful spirits and took six bottles of beer to his room between twelve and one o'clock. Shortly afterwards a lady on the same floor complained to witness of the strong smell of gas. Witness went to deceased's room and found the gas turned on. He told deceased, who was then reading a book, about it, but he replied that he did not care at all. Eventually witness switched off the gas and bid deceased good-night.

Smell of Gas.

Early in the morning at about 7.30, Mr. N. Davies, who lived in the room next to deceased's, informed witness of the strong smell of gas. Witness then again went to deceased's room and found the door locked, and, becoming suspicious, called for the police.

After hearing further evidence, his Worship remarked that deceased's mind was not normal at the time, and returned a verdict of "Suicide while of Unsound Mind."

and the pursuance of a definite socialist policy, irrespective of, or even opposed to, the Labour Party. A special conference was called and by 241 votes to 142 on the 30th of July the party decided on disaffiliation. But the opposition against disaffiliation was strong. Some of the most active propagandists not only demanded that the I.L.P. should continue to work in the Labour Party, but when the decision to disaffiliate was reached they promptly set to work to mobilize the "affiliationists" and to found a new I.L.P. to continue to support and work within the Labour Party.

For the time being, of course, the activities of the I.L.P. are not of great national importance, but they may be significant later on; and in any case they are symptomatic of the changes that are taking place in British political psychology, and of the work that remains to be done before Great Britain gets back to its traditional two-Party political system.

The "Left Wing" leaders of the I.L.P. thereupon proposed disaffiliation from the Labour Party (Continued at foot of next column.)

Scotland for Ever!

"You must give up drink," said the specialist, "and the fee for my advice is two guineas."

"Ye're gottin' maethin' out of me," said the Scot. "Ah'm no takin' yer advice."

Statistics. It is estimated that if a man mows a lawn measuring 20 feet by 15 on a warm Saturday afternoon, his wife told him to.

Liquidation!

A Danish fort, no longer needed for military purposes, is to be turned into a huge outdoor swimming pool, which seems to be rather a pleasant way of liquidating a doubtful security.

The Archbishop of Canterbury.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Lang, has made a remarkable recovery from the attack of neuritis which threatened to become very serious. He is so well, indeed, that he is foregoing meantime his usual vacation, allowing himself instead a leisure hour or two watching a game of cricket. The Archbishop hopes to make a visit to Scotland shortly in accordance with his custom of never allowing a year to pass without a brief sojourn in his native country.

Voice Made by Science.

Science has added yet another development to its long list of achievements. It has made a voice device was explained by an official of the Western Electric Company which has just made a talking picture of the invention which will be exhibited to the medical profession. Described as the artificial larynx, the instrument, which is quite small, will, it is claimed, restore the power of speech to those

whose natural larynx has been surgically removed or whose vocal cords are paralysed. The speech is "manufactured" by the device in the talking picture possesses a distinctness that is almost indistinguishable from the natural voice.

How the Device is Used.

In order to illustrate how this ingenious "speech" device is used, it is necessary to point out that when an operation is performed for the removal of the larynx, the mouth and throat are disconnected from the lungs, the windpipe being terminated in a small opening at the base of the throat. Over this opening a little rubber pad is placed, and the air which is normally exhaled here is conducted through rubber tubing to a small metal sound box in which is located a reed. The force of the exhaled air striking the reed causes it to vibrate, thus producing sound. The sound in turn is passed on to the mouth by a rubber mouthpiece, and through the movement of the throat, mouth, and lips, the sound is intelligible speech. Several public speakers have already successfully demonstrated the device.

Why Golf Balls Go So Far.

Golfers in England have been conducting experiments recently in long-driving with a machine-propelled driver, while the General Electric Company in America has been testing the velocity of a driver at the moment of impact.

The tests, carried out by a new system of photo-electric beams, which can measure speeds hitherto regarded as immeasurable, prove conclusively that the speed of a driver, when it connects with a golf ball, is from 70 to 125 miles per hour.

Everything else being in order, the greater the velocity the longer the drive. Jim Reynolds, champion long driver of America, touches the 125 mark. This information is scientifically correct. One trusts, however, that it will not provoke an epidemic of quick-swinging among the 28 handicapped men.

Mid-Atlantic "Hangar."

Germany plans a regular airplane service between Berlin and South America. Deutsche Luft-Hansa will bring difficulties within practical bounds by stationing a 6,000-ton steamer in mid-ocean between Germany, Africa, and Natal, Brazil. This "mother ship" will refuel the Dornier-Wal seagoing planes, carrying passengers and mail, and catapult them on their way. After five years, the projectors estimate, the mid-ocean base can be abandoned—five years of air progress: bringing planes that can skip from continent to continent with ease.

Australia's Farm School.

Success has attended the Fairbridge Farm school at Pinjarra, Western Australia, which is maintained by the Child Emigration Society for English juveniles wishing to emigrate and take up farm work.

The work of the school is no longer an experiment and is coming to be more and more recognized. Lord Astor's Committee on Empire Emigration has recommended that further farm schools should be set up in the Dominions where the Dominion authorities agree.

To-day's Quotation.

Education is an ornament in prosperity and a refuge in adversity. —ARISTOTLE.

Local and General

The Hong Kong dollar was quoted yesterday at 1s. 4d.

Only one case of diphtheria was reported on Wednesday.

The eighteenth bi-annual "Trevessa" trophy race for ship's lifeboats will be sailed on Friday, October 14, starting at 4 p.m.

It is announced that the marriage of Cyril Edwin Gahagan of Hong Kong and Eileen Barbara Medina of Aldershot, England, will take place shortly.

Mr. Charles Bond, for many years Manager of Messrs. Gande, Price & Co., Ltd., has joined the staff of the Wine and Spirits Department of Messrs. Dodwell & Co., Ltd.

Yet another Siamese Princess has renounced her rank in order to marry. She was H.S.H. Princess Chavivongs Ruchavajanya and the King has been pleased to grant her request. She is a daughter of the recently held Extraordinary General Meeting.

A fatal dose of opium was taken by a 19-year-old youth at his home at 130, Connaught Road West, on Wednesday. Upon discovery of his condition, he was rushed by relatives to the Government Civil Hospital, but died soon after admission.

Sentence of a year's imprisonment was passed on a young man named Lau Fook by Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning on a charge of possession of a revolver and four rounds of ammunition. Asked if he had anything to say in view of the serious charge against him, defendant steadfastly refused to say anything.

The Acting Manager of the Hong Bank, Ltd., has received cable information from his head office in Singapore that the Bank's amalgamation with the Overseas Chinese Bank, Ltd., and the Chinese Commercial Bank, Ltd., was unanimously approved by the shareholders of all three banks at the recently held extraordinary general meeting.

Some alarm was caused in the vicinity of the junction of Hollywood Road and Peel Street at 9.40 p.m. on Wednesday when the Fire Brigade was summoned to an outbreak of fire at No. 70, Hollywood Road. Two engines were immediately despatched and on their arrival it was found that the chimney of the second floor had been set alight. There was no difficulty in putting out the flames.

D. Andrews, the young son of Chief Inspector Andrews, of the Peak Tramways, living at 16, Bowen Road, was the victim of a savage attack by a dog in Bowen Road on Wednesday. It was stated that the lad was severely bitten about the arms and legs, by the dog, which belongs to a neighbour, Mr. Charleston. It has been found necessary to admit the lad to hospital for treatment.

Pte. George Henry Pitcher of "B" Company, South Wales Borderers, appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Station yesterday when he pleaded guilty to charges of burglary from 362, The Peak, the residence of Mr. D. Bewley and 455, The Peak, the residence of Mr. F. M. Ellis. On the application of Inspector Chester Woods, the accused was remanded in military custody for one week.

Owing to renovations which are being made to the Ball Room at the Repulse Bay Hotel, it will not be possible to hold the usual Dinner and Tea Dances there on the 21st, 24th, 25th and 28th instant. Dinner Dances on these dates will take place at the Hong Kong Hotel. It is expected that the redecoration of the Repulse Bay Hotel Ball Room will be completed for its re-opening on October 1 with a special Dinner Dance.

A Chinese passenger 25 years of age, was injured when he attempted to leap on to the ferry pier at Yau-mati before the launch had properly tied up. He failed to clear the intervening space, and, to the horror of the other passengers and a large number of people on the pier was seen to stumble and drop backwards. He was caught between the launch and the pier and crushed. The man was picked up and rushed to hospital in a serious condition.

Two young Chinese ladies, of 3, Wing Wah Terrace, closely questioned a man whom they found loitering on the staircase on Tuesday night, with the result that the stranger fled without having given a satisfactory explanation of his presence. The girls raised the alarm and a student of the neighbourhood took up the chase. He caught the intruder and handed him over to an Indian policeman.

When charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court yesterday morning it was stated in evidence that the man when questioned said he was visiting a policeman friend. The defendant, who had six previous convictions for similar offences, was sentenced to three months' hard labour and placed under police supervision for two years on a charge of loitering with intent to commit a felony.

Whilst patrolling the Yau-mati typhoon shelter on Wednesday afternoon, Revenue Officer Humphreys observed a deserted Class IV junk, which was moored to the Praya wall. Closer examination of the craft aroused his suspicion, with the result that he carried out a thorough search of the boat. His suspicions were confirmed when he found in different compartments a revolver and a rifle with several rounds of ammunition. These weapons were produced at the Kowloon Magistracy before Mr. Fraser yesterday morning, when his Worship ordered the weapons to be confiscated. Inspector Elston also applied for the confiscation of the boat, but his Worship, after referring to the Ordinance, said there

was no provision made there with regard to the confiscation of boats under such circumstances, but if the Inspector could produce any authority he would hear a further application.

from the files.

Looking Back 25 Years.

Most serious Anti-Japanese and Chinese rioting occurred in Vancouver on Saturday, and was renewed on Sunday evening, but the resolute attitude of the Japanese, armed with clubs, revolvers and knives and the threatened use of bombs, intimidated the mob who refrained from attacking the Japanese quarter. Details of the fighting on Saturday show that the Japanese shouting "Banzai," charged and routed a mob of 8,000 who had pursued them, using broken bottles in a most effective manner.

The annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Football Club was held this week when the following officers for the ensuing season were elected:—Hon. President, Mr. W. D. Braidwood; President, Mr. J. L. McPherson; Secretary, Mr. R. C. Barlow; Treasurer, Mr. T. G. Turnbull; Captain, Mr. A. Hamilton; Vice-Captain, Mr. A. Piracy; Committee: The Captain, Vice-Captain, Messrs. Bishop, McCubbin and Raven.—Hong Kong Daily Press, September 16, 1907.

Looking Back 50 Years.

There must be wheels within wheels in the administration of affairs in Peking. It would be interesting to know how far the actions of the Imperial Government are controlled by Palace intrigue, how far they are directed by the wisdom or prejudices of certain powerful officials. The real origin evidence to the Throne is probably known to but a favoured few. The very frankness of some of these curious documents is assumed for a purpose, sometimes a personal one, and many even of those that advocate reforms and improvement can hardly perhaps be taken *à la lettre*. The Censors are certainly privileged persons, and have little to fear, apparently, from any outspoken memorials they may choose to address to the Throne. But the worthy scholar who thought he could stir up the Empress-Regent to greater activity in affairs of State, got a scolding at least for his pains. Not seemingly, because she was too exalted a personage, above the pale of criticism, but for some other reason of which the outside world may guess something but can know nothing. Possibly the memorial was inspired by the Imperial lady herself, who appears to have dropped out of sight lately, and has, we believe, very much less influence in the guidance of affairs than formerly.—Hong Kong Daily Press, September 16, 1882.

RECOGNITION OF MANCHUKUO

CEREMONY COMPLETED AT 9.10 A.M. YESTERDAY

CHINA OPENS COUNTER-ATTACK IN FORM OF NOTES OF PROTEST

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CHANGCHUN, Sept. 15. The ceremony of formal recognition of Manchukuo by Japan was completed at 9.10 this morning in this, the capital city of the new state.

NANKING, Sept. 15. Simultaneously with the Japanese official announcement of Tokyo's formal recognition of Manchukuo, the Chinese Government opened a counter-attack in the form of Notes of protest to London, Paris, Washington, Rome and Geneva, charging Japan with violating China's territorial and administrative sovereignty and demanding international action. The other signatories to the Nine-Power Treaty are requested to call a conference to "take up this urgent issue."

Nanking has also protested to Tokyo.

American Attitude.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15. Japan's recognition of Manchukuo will not precipitate a new move until the Lytton Report has been considered, is the opinion gathered at the State Department by a correspondent of the *New* York Times.

ACUTE ANXIETY IN BRITAIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, September 15.

ACUTE anxiety has been created in diplomatic and well-informed quarters by the announcement of Japanese recognition of Manchukuo. The text of the note has not yet been published, but the effects of recognition have been seriously debated during the past month and largely discounted and through the decision has not come as a surprise, the gravity of the situation in the Far East is everywhere recognized.

The *New Chronicle* says the position from the viewpoint of international morality could not be worse, and refers to the "deplorable rakes progress" of British policy which has afforded "encouragement to Japanese militarism to go from strength to strength, until now the Japanese proclaim defiantly that as far as they are concerned the League, America and the Lytton Report can all go to a hotter place than Jericho." The paper goes on to predict gloomy prospects for the world "as long as Japanese Imperialism is undefeated," and says that as a settlement cannot be accomplished by mediation or conciliation the task is to help Chinese Nationalism to defeat Japanese Imperialism.

TERMS OF PROTOCOL

We are indebted for the text of the protocol to the local Japanese Consulate General.

Whereas Japan has recognized the fact that Manchukuo, in accordance with the free-will of its inhabitants, has organized and established itself as an independent state; and whereas Manchukuo has declared its intention of abiding by all international engagements entered into by China in so far as they are applicable to Manchukuo, now the Governments of Japan and Manchukuo have, for the purpose of establishing a perpetual relationship of good neighbourliness between Japan and Manchukuo, each respecting the treaty rights of the other, and also in order to secure the peace of the Far East, agreed as follows:

1. Manchukuo shall confirm and respect, in so far as no agreement to the contrary shall be made between Japan and Manchukuo in future, all rights and interests possessed by Japan or her subjects within the territory of Manchukuo by virtue of Sino-Japanese Treaties, agreements or other arrangements or Sino-Japanese contracts, private as well as public;
2. Japan and Manchukuo, recognizing that any threat to the territory or to the peace and order of either of the High Contracting Parties constitutes at the same time a threat to the safety and existence of the other, agree to co-operate in the maintenance of their national security; it being understood that such Japanese forces as may be necessary for this purpose shall be stationed in Manchukuo.

The present protocol shall come into effect from the date of its signature.

The present protocol has been drawn up in Japanese and Chinese, two identical copies being made in each language. Should any difference arise in regard to interpretation between the Japanese and the Chinese texts, the Japanese text shall prevail.

In witness whereof the undersigned, duly authorized by their respective governments, have signed the present protocol and have affixed their seals thereto.

Done at Shinghing, this fifteenth day of the ninth month of the seventh year of Showa.

Corresponding to the fifteenth day of the ninth month of the first year of Taishung.

(L.S.) NOBUYOSHI MUTO, Ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary of His Majesty the Emperor of Japan.
(L.S.) HAILO HSU CHENG, Prime Minister of Manchukuo.

BIGGEST HERRING CATCH OF YEAR

TRAWLER BRINGS 200,000 TO GREAT YARMOUTH

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Sept. 14. TWO hundred and eleven cranes, or more than 200,000 herrings, the largest catch this season, was brought into Great Yarmouth on Tuesday by the Lowestoft trawler, *Feasible*. The Lowestoft trawler, *Feasible*, landed 150,000 herrings.

DE VALERA TO SEE MR. THOMAS AGAIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

DUBLIN, Sept. 15.

It is understood that Mr. De Valera will probably visit London at the end of the week on his way to Geneva for a final interview with Mr. J. H. Thomas, Dominions Secretary, on the question of international arbitration on the dispute with Great Britain on land annuities.

NO SURPRISE IN ITALY

ENTIRELY IN AGREEMENT WITH JAPAN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Rome, Sept. 15.

THERE is no surprise in Italy, as the Japanese recognition of Manchukuo was expected. The average Italian regards the recognition as the inevitable result of pressure of economic forces driving Japan to seek stable markets for the expansion of her trade and population. Italians are inclined to sympathize, considering Japan, like Fascist Italy, must find outlets.

To oppose Japanese penetration in a country which is under populated and under developed would be hypocrisy in Italian eyes, even running counter to the Fascist duty of developing the natural wealth of the country.

Official quarters decline to comment until they have further details. Prominent official declared: "Our main concern is to maintain peace, avoid a new armaments race and preserve markets for Italian trade in the Far East."

The situation is being watched with the closest attention, because of League repercussions and it is realized that the future of the League may depend on the handling of the Manchurian problem.

MANCHURIA NOT SAFE

BRITONS WARNED TO KEEP CLEAR

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 15.

As a result of the bandit outrages in Manchuria, in which British subjects were involved, the Foreign Office has issued a statement pointing out that Britons proceeding to or from the Far East would be well advised at present not to incur the risk attendant on travelling on the Harbin-Siberia route.

MARTIAL LAW IN NANKING

ALL DEMONSTRATIONS PROHIBITED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Sept. 15.

MARTIAL LAW was declared in Hsiaoan, a suburb of Nanking, where Japanese reside, yesterday.

All traffic has been stopped for some distance round the Osaka Shosen Kaisha wharf, and extra patrols are in the streets, especially in the foreign section of the capital. All demonstrations are prohibited to-day.

CHINA AND HER LOANS

SOONG'S ANNOUNCEMENT CAUSES FAVOURABLE IMPRESSION

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

GENEVA, Sept. 14.

THE announcement that China is meeting her obligations, despite the loss of revenue arising from events in Manchuria and Shanghai, has produced the most favourable impression upon the League of Nations Secretariat. The Chinese Government has notified the Secretariat of payment of G.814,000 which includes an instalment on account of arrears and a contribution to current expenditure, besides G.825,000 on account of her share of expenses of the Lytton Commission.

The Chinese Finance Minister, Mr. T. V. Soong, further announces that China will fulfil all international loan obligations, despite the fact that the Salt Revenue from Manchuria has not been transferred to Nanking.

Simultaneously, the Japanese Government informed the Secretariat of payment of G.950,000 as Japan's share of the Lytton Commission expenses.

SPYING SCARE AT TOKYO

UNFOUNDED CHARGES AGAINST U.S. BANK

A NEWSPAPER'S ACCUSATIONS

Tokyo, Sept. 11.—A government investigation of sensational charges of spying and that the United States had been making threatening war-like preparations toward Japan, made by radio and in newspapers, was under way to-day at the request of Ambassador Joseph C. Grew.

Mr. Grew said that Count Uchida, the foreign minister, had assured him that when the report of the investigation was received he would give it full consideration in the light of the ambassador's representations. The envoy cabled the State Department at Washington, regarding the steps that had been taken to clear up the situation, and the dispatch was sent back here via Press channels.

The recent affair of the Osaka branch of the National City Bank of New York which is the subject of a current Press campaign charging the bank with photographic espionage has assumed proportions which threaten to cause serious injury to the bank's prestige and business if not to its personnel and property.

No Laws Violated. Foreign office officials said yesterday that newspaper accounts of the activities of the bank's photographers were unfair, baseless and due to over-zealousness by younger officers of the gendarmier.

Charges Broadcast. The sensational newspaper charges, which included a long list of American activities such as the presence of the American fleet in the Pacific, an alleged cruise of three airplane carriers along the Kurile Islands and the establishment of

In Hong Kong To-Day

CLOUDY, RAIN LATER.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.50 P.M. STATED:—

THE TYPHOON IS SITUATED TO THE WEST OF THE BALINTANG CHANNEL, MOVING NORTH-WEST. THE COAST NEAR HONG KONG IS THREATENED BY THE PRESENT TRACK IS MAINTAINED.

LOCAL FORECAST: N.E. WINDS, FRESH, PROBABLY INCREASING TO A GALE; FAIR AT FIRST, CLOUDY WITH HEAVY SQUALLS AND RAIN LATER.

TYPHOON WARNINGS.

The following typhoon warnings have been received by the American Consulate General from the Manila Observatory: Manila, Sept. 15, 8.35 a.m.—Typhoon in about 120deg. Long. E. and 18deg. Lat. N., moving N.N.W.
Manila, Sept. 15, 10.35 a.m.—Typhoon in about 120deg. Long. E. and 19deg. Lat. N., moving N.W.
Manila, Sept. 15, 3.30 p.m.—Cyclone or typhoon W. of Balintang Channel, moving N.W.

new American air bases in the Aleutian island were broadcast from the semi-official radio station at Osaka.

The charge that the National City Bank's photographs of public buildings might get into the hands of the United States War Department for use in mapping targets for air bombing raids in time of war was reiterated.

The newspaper, *Kokumin Shinbun*, which led the wave of criticism, said there were many "manifestations of serious intentions by America against Japan."

The paper published a report that Americans were sending many bombing planes to Hangchow, China, to assist the Chinese army in establishing an air base.

Officials of the branch bank at Osaka explained that the photographs were taken in accordance with instructions from the parent bank at New York and were to be used in matter illustrating business and industrial development in the Far East.

Aspect Serious. The situation assumed a more serious aspect yesterday when delegations of patriotic societies visited the Osaka branch and attempted to intimidate the Japanese employees. Before this the foreign office had taken the position that the incident was too trivial for official notice.

The latest spy scare incident attracted wider attention than it might except for the diplomatic exchanges between Washington and Tokyo over the military campaign in Manchuria, and the feeling by many foreigners that it was significant of widespread popular feeling toward the United States.

AMERICA WARMS HE DEBTORS

MUST GIVE NOTICE OF DELAYED PAYMENT

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.

ALL the debtors of the United States who desire to exercise the postponement privilege, must so notify the American Government before the night of September 15, in accordance with the terms of their debt agreements, announces the Treasury Secretary, Mr. Ogden Mills. He adds that apart from Estonia, Latvia and Poland, no other debtor country up to now has filed notice of any intention to postpone payments.

Debt payments by these three countries, which total G\$1,253,000, are due December 15, and will be postponed two years. Meanwhile they are bearing three and a half per cent. interest, payable each quarter.

U.S. WAR VETERANS AND WAR BONUS

IMMEDIATE PAYMENT ASKED FOR

PRESIDENT HOOVER AGAIN REFUSES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.

THE action of the Resolutions Committee of the American Legion Convention now meeting in Portland, Oregon, adopting by 21 to 9 votes a resolution asking for immediate payment of the war veterans' bonus, brought an immediate response from President Hoover, who indicates the impossibility of a change of his attitude. He says he will consistently oppose the payment and points out that the bonus, amounting to G.\$2,250,000,000, if paid, would be fatal to the entire recovery programme.

The Convention's Foreign Relations Committee favourably reported to the Legion on resolutions denouncing cancellation of war debts and opposing America's adherence to the World Court.

RECONSTRUCTION OF C. EUROPE

DELEGATES CONSIDERING SCHEME

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

STRESA, Sept. 15.

AN interesting stage has been reached in the Danubian Reconstruction Conference, to which many are looking to pave the way to General European Economic improvement. The Conference has now adjourned to enable the delegates to submit a concrete scheme to their respective Governments. It provides for the creation of a central fund to subsidise the Danubian grain exports.

The Agrarian countries, in return, will negotiate special tariff concessions to the importing countries. S. Demichielis of Italy, outlining the scheme, emphasised that all the European countries, not merely the countries who import Danubian grain, will be expected to contribute to the fund, thereby reassuring the continentalists who thought Britain might get off lightly by buying nothing while benefiting by the improved purchasing power of Central Europe.

ing toward the United States.

In the Diet two weeks ago, it was recalled, Count Uchida was intimated regarding foreign affairs, one member demanding to know what the government was doing about "the concentration of the American navy in the Pacific." The foreign minister answered then that he saw no reason why Japan should ask Washington to explain fleet dispositions or otherwise take official notice of them.

Uchida said "the government is doing its utmost through our diplomats abroad to improve world feeling toward Japan but thus far we can admit no optimism."

Government Does Not Suspect Bank.

(By United Press.) Washington, September 10.—State department officials, welcomed the assuring statement from the Japanese foreign office, which declared that the government held no suspicion of the bank, a branch of the National City Bank of New York.

The divergent views of Japan and the United States on the Manchuria situation, it was admitted, were at the bottom of such suspicions. However, officials pointed out that the United States government had repeatedly emphasized peaceful intent with respect to the Manchurian issue, and had gone so far as to commit itself as opposed even to an economic boycott as a means of bringing pressure against the Japanese policy in Manchuria. In view of this, officials believe that serious-thinking people in both countries will not be misled by the uncritical agitation of minor incidents which the government thoughtfully disapproves.

GERMAN ARMAMENT CLAIM

BRITAIN MAY PUT FORWARD PROPOSALS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 15.

A NEW move by Great Britain regarding the German re-armament claim is forecasted by the *Daily Express* to-day, which states that it understands the proposal will take the form of a suggestion for the postponement of Disarmament Conference Committee meetings. A number of these are scheduled to take place following the initial meeting on September 21. Their adjournment, the paper learns, would be followed by a consultation of powers principally interested in the German armament question.

The initiative of this plan appears to be with the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald. The *Express* adds that the policy now apparently in process of formulation by the British Government consists mainly of granting Germany equality of arms in principle, to be accompanied by an undertaking by that power not to re-arm in fact and a Disarmament Convention, whereby other nations will engage to disarm further than they have yet done.

FRENCH TROOP TRAIN DISASTER

120 SOLDIERS KILLED: 150 INJURED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ORAN, Algeria, Sept. 15. MORE than 50 men were killed and 60 seriously injured in a terrible accident in which a crowded French troop train was involved near here.

Occupying several small coaches, 310 officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the French Foreign Legion, were moving to a new station when the train plunged into a ravine, after leaping the rails at high speed.

Assistance was rushed from the headquarters of the Legion, near the scene of the disaster. The Tlemcen region, through which the train was passing when it ran upon a subsided portion of the permanent way, is particularly rugged and inaccessible and the rescuers were greatly hampered in their work.

ORAN, Algeria, Sept. 15. It is now known that 120 officers and men were killed and 150 injured in the troop train disaster here today, caused by the collapse of a trestle. The wreckage of 31 coaches now lies in a heap of indescribable chaos at the bottom of a ravine near Tlemcen, while relief parties, sent from neighbouring villages and the railway company's representatives also at the spot, seek for bodies. As the disaster occurred in an inaccessible part of the desert, means of communication is limited and effective assistance is difficult to organise. One of the two officers commanding the detachment was killed.

EFFORTS TO DETER GANDHI'S FAST

PARTIES MOVE TO FIND SOME AGREEMENT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SIMLA, Sept. 15.

EFFORTS are being made to deter Mahatma Gandhi from carrying out his death fast. The Viceroy, Lord Willingdon, granted an interview to the Assembly Representative of the Depressed Classes who yesterday appealed to all parties to make an effort to save the life of "the greatest Indian of our time."

The Hindu leader, Pandit Malaviya, summoned a conference at Delhi in the hope of reaching an early agreement over the question of representation for the Depressed Classes, which may prevent Gandhi from embarking on his fast.

LONDON, Sept. 15. The Government have decided to remove Gandhi from prison, as soon as he begins to fast, to a suitable residence, where the only restriction will be that he will be directed to remain there.

BLOODLESS REVOLUTION

LATEST CHILEAN REVOLT SHORT LIVED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SANTIAGO, Sept. 15.

GENERAL Merino's coup was short-lived and he and his flying officers have fled the country. Following dissensions among the new leaders, Merino fled to El Bosque airport where, apparently, he ordered the Air Force he commanded to disperse, for when a company of infantry was detached there, it found all 70 planes ordinarily stationed there, had vanished.

It is officially stated that the country is quiet, and the army commander-in-chief, General Blass, has assumed the presidency. Nearly all the rebel stolen aeroplanes were captured immediately they landed to the north of city, but General Merino cannot be traced.

NEW GOVERNOR OF NEWFOUNDLAND


SIR DAVID ANDERSON

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 15.

ADMIRAL Sir David Murray Anderson, K.C.B., C.M.G., C.B., M.V.O., has been appointed Governor of Newfoundland. [Admiral Sir David Anderson, received his education in H.M.S. Britannia and entered the Navy as a midshipman in 1882. From 1923 to 1928 he was Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, later going to the African Station. He was appointed High Commissioner, South Africa in 1928, and from 1929 to 1931 was Admiralty Representative on the League of Nations Permanent Advisory Commission. He was A.D.C. to the King in 1921-22.]

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Sports News

THE ORIGIN AND HISTORY OF THE M.C.C.

THE JUBILEE, AND AFTER.

ARTICLE IX.

[BY R. ABBIT.]

The Jubilee of the Club fell in 1837 and Benjamin Aislabie was not the man to let it pass unmarked. In 1839 he proposed that a great Jubilee Match should take place on the second Monday in July, 1837, and he solicited from each member a subscription of one pound. It is interesting to note that a Club match was not played. Possibly there was a lack of amateur talent, though in 1836 the Club won four, lost four and drew one, while in 1837 six were won and two drawn against four losses. I incline to think that the parental attitude of the Club to all cricket was shown by the fact that the game was North v. South, "for the benefit of the players." North received as "given" men, Box, a great wicket-keeper, and Cobbett, who at that time spun the ball more than any bowler. The game was played on July 10th and 11th, and Lillywhite won it for the South, who were favourites, by his excellent bowling. He took in all four wickets in the match. The sides had been chosen by Lord Frederick Beauclerk and the Earl of Thanet.

It has been impossible to find a list of the teams save one which occurs in the reproduction of an old print in the M.C.C. collection. Unfortunately under the magnifying glass the pattern comes up better than the names or figures. William Ward played for the South and was I believe the only Amateur playing. He made three and seven. Broadbridge went in first for the South, Ward first wicket, Womman (the wicket-keeper) second wicket and Fuller Pilch third wicket. Lillywhite went in last. They made scores of 80 and 72 while the North made 35 and 63. But that is only what the figures look like and I may have read them incorrectly. I cannot locate the name of Thomas Bragley, one of the greatest professional bats of his day, and I rather think his best days were earlier than this.

J. H. Dark Again.

Since I wrote my last article (which appeared in last Tuesday's issue) I have discovered a positive mine of information about J. H. Dark, and perceive with great pleasure that the supposition I had put forward was, in the main, true. But Dark's services to the Club were such that I make no apology for harking back to him. He was born in the Edgeware Road in 1795, and at the age of ten became a "ball boy" as we now term it, or "scout" as they did then, on Lord's first ground. His job was to pick up and return balls hit into the field by members practicing. As the practice wickets were pitched only a short way from the middle and there were no nets then, it must have been quite an exciting time for everybody. So the man who in his early days saw Lord Frederick Beauclerk, Budd and Osbaldeston in their prime, lived to see in his old age both Alfred Shaw and W. G. Grace. Naturally in such an environment he became a professional cricketer, and in 1838 turned out for the Players against the Gentlemen. He also often played for the All-England eleven. He was a dangerous hard-hitting bat, a fine field, and in his later years he became a very good umpire. In his personal make-up he was outwardly a bit irascible, but he concealed beneath his brusque manner a most kindly heart. It was in 1832, three years before he finally purchased the lease from Ward, that he took over the entire management of the ground. For many years he had assisted Aislabie in his secretarial duties, and during the latter's last illness at the beginning of 1842, he took them over altogether. So ably did he do the work that when in June Mr. Kynaston was appointed to be Secretary, the Committee officially asked Dark to "continue his valuable assistance to the Secretary." In 1843 there was a change in the rules and the men and boys who played upon the ground were paid by Dark himself, and ten years

later all Subscriptions and Entrance Fees were paid over to him, and he provided all expenses. It is interesting to note that in 1850 the total was £283.16.0, which was the highest level reached to that date. One hesitates to think what it must be now. Incidentally, an instance of Dark's generosity is found in 1840, when it became necessary to drain the ground. The Committee were quite willing to assist but Dark preferred to meet the entire expense himself, and refused a subsequent "testimonial," which means I take it a grant in aid of the work. No less than five miles of drains, two and a half feet deep were put in at a cost of £300.

The Purchase of the Ground.

It will probably be more convenient to refer here to the purchase of the freehold of the ground by the M.C.C. as it comes at the end of Dark's Career and I can then deal with the cricketing side of the period 1837-1864 in my next article. It was by the way in the latter year that W. G. Grace played his first innings for the Club.

In 1860 the Eyre Estate sold the freehold of the ground at public auction. Dark urged the Club to buy it and why they did not is unknown. Of course, the position was that whoever bought the freehold the Club was on a perfectly sound basis until Dark's lease expired in 1863, provided they arranged to purchase it or have their tenancy continued by the purchaser. But even then the development of London must have warned them of the almost fabulous value which would attach to the land in 1893 when it reverted to the freeholder. Perhaps they only really began thinking when they found that the purchaser's name was Isaac Moses, which hardly sounded a happy omen for the renewal of his lease! He had bought the freehold for the beggarly sum of £7,000, which even apart from the future value of the land gave him a shade over 2 per cent. on his money,—not so bad in those days.

The New Secretary.

Personally, however, I find it significant that Mr. R. A. Fitzgerald (one of the Club's great Secretaries), was appointed in 1863, in which year the Committee appointed him, with Mr. Broughton and Mr. Nicholson as a sub-committee to go into the whole matter. It would be tedious to go into the negotiations in full but it is clear that the Club had no capital sum to fall back upon. After long negotiations with Dark, it was agreed that he should receive £11,000 for the twenty-nine year lease he had, and £1,500 to cover stock and legal expenses. After much hawking, it is a curious instance of the trust and respect which existed between Dark and the Committee with whom he was negotiating, when he turned to one of them and said, "Mr. Broughton, would you, as a gentleman really advise me to sign this agreement?" To which Mr. Broughton replied "Most certainly I would." Whereupon Dark signed at once. Incidentally the sum was not available at once, and in that year (1864) he received £5,000 in all, interest being payable on the balance. The remainder was paid off in due course.

Marsden, no Moses.

This put the Club into Dark's position for negotiating with Mr. Moses whose financial connection with such a typical English game, had changed his name by this time to Marsden. From the negotiations it is pretty clear the change did not go beneath the skin. Mr. Marsden was on to a good thing and he knew it. In 1865 Mr. Marsden offered the freehold at £18,333.6.8, being thirty-three and a half years purchase of a £550 per annum lease for 99 years which the Club had obtained as an extension to Dark's old lease. Once more a member came to the rescue, as Ward had done in 1825, for in 1866 Mr. William Nicholson offered to advance the whole sum at five per cent. which was reduced to four per cent. in 1874. The whole loan was repaid by 1879, and the outgoing President for 1873-1879, Lord Fitzhardinge, nominated Mr. Nicholson as his successor in office for the ensuing year.

Note: I regret that owing to slight indisposition this article has been delayed for twenty-four hours. The next one will not appear until Tuesday next. I hope to conclude the series in two or three more articles.

R. ABBIT.

HOME FOOTBALL

MID-WEEK MATCHES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 15.

FOLLOWING are the results of Home football matches played on Wednesday:—

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

First Division.

West Brom.	1	Arsenal	1
Third Division (South).			
Southend	3	Newport	0
Third Division (North).			
Chester	2	Stockport	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

First Division.

Aberdeen	8	Falkirk	2
Cowdenbeath	1	St. Mirren	3
Kilmarnock	3	Hamilton	2
East Stirling	1	Celtic	3
Motherwell	3	Ayr U.	1

Cup-holders Meet.

In a friendly football match Glasgow Rangers defeated Newcastle United by 4 goals to 1.

PRINCE PLAYS GOLF WITH EX-KING

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, Sept. 14.

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, reached Paris from Biarritz by train this morning, and played a round of golf at Fontainebleau with ex-King Alfonso of Spain. The ex-Queen of Spain accompanied the players. After luncheon with the ex-King, the Prince proceeded to Orly Aerodrome, and left by plane for England at 4 p.m.

MRS. MOODY'S STAR WANING?

INVINCIBILITY LESS THAN TWO YEARS AGO.

HARD PRESSED BY BRITISH PLAYERS.

Though Mrs. Moody (Helen Wills) went over to Europe this year and captured the Wimbledon and French titles, as well as helping America to retain the Wightman Cup, her form, according to a writer in Lawn Tennis and Badminton, revealed that she is not quite so invincible as she was two years ago, and further that the standard of British play had improved.

The comments in question read:—The usual harsh criticisms of our players, as a team appeared in the Press when Great Britain had lost the first three matches in the Wightman Cup, some correspondents even suggesting that the Selection committee were at fault in the selection of the team—a criticism not raised at the time of the announcement.

The popular press is always so wise after the event. America, with Mrs. Moody and Miss Jacobs to lead them, was considered to have a better chance of winning the first two singles as a result of the matches between the first and second strings respectively than when our first string, Mrs. Whittingstall, played America's second Miss Jacobs.

Invincibility Less.

For games on end our players stood up to Mrs. Moody and showed that the invincibility is less than it was two years ago. Mrs. Whittingstall was once within two points of a 5-0 lead against the American, a feat only surpassed in 1930 by Mrs. Holcroft Watson; while Miss Round, adopting the same tactics as her team-mate, also demonstrated that Mrs. Moody can be extended by resolute driving to the corners and drop shots as a means of opening up the court. Mrs. Moody's steadiness and her astute and accurate lobbing when in difficulties brought her out of many a tight corner and she forged ahead while her English opponents were reacting from their efforts in the previous games.

Without Ferocious Punches.

A question which exercised the minds of the critics in Paris and at Wimbledon is whether Mrs. Moody's game has declined in power since her last European visit or whether the game of the leading European ladies has improved. The answer is possibly something of each. The American lady certainly did not produce many of those ferocious punches which send the ball away for clean winners so

(Continued on next column.)

U.S. AMATEUR GOLF TITLE

QUIMET BEATS RECORD

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Baltimore, Sept. 15.

ERIC McRUVIE, the only British player to pass the second qualifying round of the American Amateur Golf Championship, lost to Yates, the American player, by 3 and 2 in the first round of the match play stages here yesterday.

The match between Francis Ouimet, the successful American Walker Cup captain, and Voigt, another American Walker Cup player, provided the most sensational golf of the day. Ouimet, who is defending his title of American Amateur Champion, displayed amazing form on the greens and returned a card of 30 for the first nine holes to break all records for the Championship. The previous record was held by the incomparable Bobby Jones who in 1937 went out in 31.

His super golf in the early stages completely rattled Voigt and he was forced to admit defeat by the large margin of 9 and 5.

U.S. BASEBALL

WEDNESDAY'S GAMES.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

New York, Sept. 14.

THE following were the results of yesterday's Baseball games:

National League.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	5	11	0
Pittsburgh	9	11	0
Brooklyn	3	9	0
St. Louis	1	11	2

New York 4 11 2
Melvin Ott and Lindstrom hit homers in the game which went to 10 innings.
Chicago 3 9 0

Philadelphia	4	11	0
Cincinnati	1	4	3

American League.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	2	9	2
New York	3	9	0

Cleveland 9 15 1
Harder pitched and Burnett hit a homer.
Boston 0 7 0

Detroit 8 12 1
Washington 3 10 2

St. Louis 6 11 2
Goslin and Burns hit home runs

Philadelphia 13 19 0
Mickey Cochrane hit a homer.

characteristic of her game of old; nor did we see so many service aces. Even without these attributes, however, she still remains in a class by herself by keeping the ball in play by hard and good length driving until her opponent breaks down in desperation. Her mistakes are few and far between. Maybe also she is keeping that winning drive as an asset in case of need. In service Mrs. Moody does not seem to be quite so deadly. The number of double-faults she served in the two days were for her exceptionally numerous, and the clean "ace" few and far between. Even so she always had something in hand and when challenged by Mrs. Whittingstall in the second set, won a sequence of six games to preserve her five-year record of not having lost a set in singles.

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FAR AND WIDE.

Mr. Charles Robertson Dunlop, K.C., the authority on Scots law and a leader of the Admiralty Bar, has died at his London home in Kensington Palace-gardens, W., aged 68.

Professor John Charles Fields, F.R.S., whose death is announced by Reuter, was the head of the mathematical faculty of Toronto University. Professor Fields, who was 69, was a mathematician of world repute. He had studied at many universities, including John Hopkins, Paris, Goettingen, and Berlin. At the time of his death he was conducting mathematical research at Toronto.

The number of the unemployed throughout Finland amounted at the end of the first half of 1932 to 30,444, showing a very considerable decrease during the month of June as on May 31 the total stood still as high as 33,387. Seasonal requirements are largely responsible for this improvement of the situation.

The first German-American exchange lady teacher, Frautlin Alice Politz, head-teacher of a Hamburg higher grade school, has left for America for a one year's work in an American school. Her place will, in the meantime, be taken by a lady teacher from the Watson High School, Bellingham Washington.

The new Mussolini film, "The New Italy Under Mussolini," which was shortly to be released in Vienna, has been rejected by the Board of Censors on the grounds that the Austrian moving picture industry, which is already in hard straits, must be protected against foreign competition. The agents of the Italian film company, however, maintain that the decision of the Board of Censors was actually based on political considerations.

Work has been started at Ver-shine-Udinsk, the important centre in Siberia, on the erection of a giant workshop for the construction of railway engines and cars. The plan provides for 28 different working departments, including one engine mounting-plant, one workshop for tenders, one wood-working department, one big shop for repairwork, several iron and copper foundries, and so on. The whole plant is to be finished in 1934 at an estimated cost of about 125,000,000 Roubles. Its completion will greatly improve the working conditions of the Trans-Siberian railway and of the lines connected with it, such as the Turk-Sib railway, connecting Southern Russia with Western and North-Siberia.

New York, Aug. 10 (A.P.).—Production of electricity for the week ended Aug. 6 was shown to-day to have decreased fairly sharply with the preceding week. Output for the entire industry stood at 1,429,080,000 kilowatt hours, compared with 1,440,388,000 the week before. The week's production was 13.1 per cent below the corresponding week of 1931. Last week the percentage of decline was 12.4 and a fortnight ago, 12.1. The Atlantic seaboard showed a decrease of 9 per cent from last year while New England, taken alone, showed a decrease of 10 per cent. In the central industrial region production was off 16.3 per cent and in the Pacific Coast area, 13 per cent.

New York, Aug. 10.—The unfilled tonnage of United States Steel Corporation on July 31 amounted to 1,998,302 tons, compared with 2,034,708 on June 30, a decrease of 83,466 tons. On May 31, 1932, unfilled tonnage equalled 2,177,162, on April 30, 1932, 2,236,926, and on July 31, 1931, 3,404,816 tons.

The Japan Cotton Manufacturers' Association has issued a statement severely opposing India's increased duties on non-British cotton piece-goods. The statement declares that the new duties will destroy the industry and Japanese trade and urges the Government to protest to the British Government to repeal or modify the new rates.

The trial has opened at the Kobe District of Torakichi Ono, former contractor, charged with fraud, in collusion with a clerk of the Ashiya Village Office, prisoner, with ill Ashiya residents out of ¥68,000 for forged house deeds. Prosecutor Horii is demanding penal servitude for four years.

The Osaka Branch of the Chinese Consulate in Kobe may be closed. The Osaka Consulate was established at Kawaguchi, Nishi-ku at the end of last month, but the Chinese authorities failed to take the necessary steps to obtain sanction for its opening. The Japanese authorities hence may order the branch to close unless the Chinese authorities take the correct steps.

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The Government-General of Formosa has now made public its first estimate for sugar production this year. The crop of centrifugal and plantation sugar is put at 11,123,053 piculs and that of brown sugar at 233,850 piculs, making a total of 11,377,757 piculs. Compared with the production last year, this shows a decrease of 5,163,423 piculs in centrifugal and plantation sugar, but an increase of 26,746 piculs in brown sugar.

Fifty American cities prepare to coordinate their traffic laws enforcement efforts during September. This country-wide exposition is expected to prove more than the inestimable value of traffic ordinances; it is relied on to trace a pattern which if followed by all the cities will reduce mishaps to a minimum. In a way, the cooperating municipalities will be holding the mirror up to motorists, so that the composite image may show just where and just why the driver misbehaves. Then will come specific corrective application for drivers. To bring in safe motions, eliminate wrong notions.

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MOVIE NEWS

Pictures In Hong Kong

"NIGHT COURT."

TENSE DRAMA AT
QUEEN'S.

A trade notice states:—
Justice, to be properly administered, must be a certain that the innocent are protected as it is in convicting the guilty.

This is the view of W.S. Van Dyke, well-known director and student of criminology, who screened "Night Court," new talkie drama now at the Queen's Theatre, which depicts the daring theme of political corruption in a court of law. The picture is said to have been based upon allegations directed by investigating bodies against irregularities in the administration of magistrate's courts.

The story is entirely fictitious, laying no claim to facts, the director pointed out. However, from the reports of various inquisitorial groups, we learn that cases of purposely misdirected justice do exist.

A short time ago a police officer, pardoned from a penitentiary for a major crime, came out with the statement that he was convinced that at least ten per cent of the felons in that particular prison were not guilty of the crime for which they were convicted and should not have been arrested in the first place. Again, a former district attorney, freed from the same penitentiary, voiced similar belief. Instances of convicts being pardoned when the crimes traced to them were confessed and proved are frequent enough to be noticed.

"On the other hand, flagrant cases of the freeing of known criminals of charges of which they are generally known to be guilty, are reported in the press from time to time. There is an element of 'fixing' done for political reasons or other considerations. That is a matter of common knowledge, although its activity has been curtailed to a very large measure by recent exposures, I am sure.

"We do not offer our picture in any sense as an exposure. It has no particular locale. The characters are drawn from imagination. It is intended only as entertainment, a human drama that might happen."

"BUT THE FLESH IS WEAK."

LONDON ROMANCE FOR
QUEEN'S.

A trade notice states:—
"It doesn't make any difference whether the character is a hero or a homewrecker, a coward or a thief—so long as it's interesting."

This is Robert Montgomery's answer to the question of what rôle he prefers to play. Montgomery is willing to play anything—if the actor can get some meat out of the rôle. And this accounts for his astounding series of characters, all the way from the "stool pigeon" in "The Big House" to the devious hero in "But the Flesh is Weak," his newest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring picture coming to the Queen's Theatre on Sunday.

"This fellow is an engaging enough character," Montgomery said, discussing the part. "He's been raised to consider the world his oyster—if he can open it. He starts out to make money the easiest way—and there's a lot in his character that one doesn't admire. But when the real test comes he stands his ground. He's a man who's been loyal to him and I guess that makes him a pretty good guy after all."

"I've always liked characters bent that make you wonder what they'd do next—characters that keep your interest alive. If the hero is perfect you know his exact reaction to every situation; he can do no wrong, but seldom is he really interesting. But a character with faults or real humanity might do anything at any time, and it is only in a crisis that it can really be discovered if he is basically a hero or a villain. In "But the Flesh is Weak" there is just such a crisis. The hero goes along in a very unheroic manner until the big test comes, then we can discover, in the climax, whether he is really all that he should be."

The new picture is a smart, romantic comedy of London life based on the English stage success, "The Truth Game," with Montgomery as a fortune hunter who tries to marry for money until he falls in love with a poor girl and finds that money isn't everything. There are trials and tribulations galore—all in a comedy vein. The original stage play was a London and New York sensation.

"CARELESS LADY."

CURRENT FEATURE AT
KING'S.

A trade notice states:—
"Careless Lady," a new Fox comedy, opens this afternoon at the King's Theatre. It has nothing of the slapstick about it, but is said to maintain a steady flow of laughs through clever situations and brilliant dialogue. Joan Bennett and John Boles head a notable cast.

The story deals with the plight of Sally Brown, a small-town girl who craves adoration instead of patronage from the local boys. Outcasted by her cousin who returns from Paris with stunning gowns and an intriguing reputation, Sally decides to acquire a knowledge of the world and sets forth to conquer. In New York she visits a speakeasy, is arrested in a raid, and through the accident of being mistaken for the wife of a well-known man, is dismissed in court.

This accident gives her the idea of going abroad as a Mrs. instead of as a Miss, because of the greater advantages in having a matrimonial status. So Sally takes the name of "Mrs. Stephen Illington" and departs for the Rue de la Paix, where her money makes her a sensation.

Unfortunately, however, Mr. Illington also makes a visit to Paris and is intrigued to find he has a "wife." Sally is dismayed, and when her new "husband" rescues her from an adventurer, she flees hastily back home for peace and quiet, only to find that her "marriage" has been reported.

Desperately inventing a quarrel and a separation to account for the bridegroom's absence, Sally is further amazed to find that he has followed her—under an alias. The complications that ensue lead to a swift climax.

"CAUGHT CHEATING"

HILARITY AND THRILLS AT
CENTRAL.

A trade notice states:—
For an hour's laughter scrambled with some good thrills and wrapped up in a real plot, we heartily recommend "Caught Cheating," a Tiffany production in which Charlie Murray and George Sidney and an excellent cast are to be seen at the Central Theatre until tomorrow.

Sidney is erroneously believed by a king of the underworld to be the man he has caught his life cheating with. He decides the police to keep him from putting up in the spot within 24 hours. Sidney is all aquiver and shies at every shadow until Murray comes along and promises to give him his million dollar's worth of business if Sidney will show him all the wild sights of the big town in other words, accompany him to the Artists' Masked Ball with a couple of beautiful janes.

Now Sidney is positive he is going to die of a gangster's bullet, but his wife Lena has been making a great scene because he has let his insurance lapse and she will be a penniless widow. So Sidney puts on a brave front and goes with Murray for the sake of the contract.

This gangster has an enemy in rival gangster, who calls on Sidney and says he is his friend. He even gives him a gift of a case of Scotch and two gunmen for a bodyguard. In his innocence, Sidney does not realize that this gangster is using him as a bait to get the first gangster.

What a situation! This makes a masked ball! Gangster No. 1 and his men are there masked as policemen. Sidney's wife is there as "Juliet," keeping a tearful eye on her husband who has suddenly become so changed to her. And the gangster's cheating wife is there also as none other than the playmate for the evening of Sidney and Murray. The laugh and thrills come fast and furious!

W. Scott Darling is author of the story, which was ably directed by Frank Strayer. Nils Martin, Dorothy Christy, Robert Ellis, Bertha Mann, Fred McManis and George Regas are excellent cast.

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"WINGS."

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The first essential was a story. It came from the pen of John Monk Saunders, one of the better-known authors of the day and an instructor of aviation during the war.

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MODERNIST ART
"RUBBISH."PERVERTED TASTE AND
BAD TEACHING.SIR CHARLES ALLOM'S
STRUCTURES.

Sir Charles Allom, president of the Faculty of Architects and Surveyors, had some caustic things to say about modernism in art when addressing the conference of the Institute of British Decorators at the Painters' Hall, E.C. London, last month.

"Doubtless in nature everything is too slow for the modernist, even if it is too anemic," he said.

He referred to "this new school of painting, so prevalent on the walls of the Royal Academy, and said that, with its crude untruthfulness, it must be the product of bad teaching and perverted taste. Many of the pictures are too little above the work of schoolboys and girls, yet we find painters of the highest ability excluded from its walls."

"Originally in art has in recent years been its curse. Statues of the type of 'Genesis' are certainly original, but to my mind, a slander upon nature, and a proof of the inaccuracy of the reasoning of the sculptor, though I am glad to be aware of his real capacity, for he has done masterful work when depicting nature as she is, and not trying unsuccessfully to show creation what she ought to do."

"Living nature is no easy model for an artist, and modernism has sought to convey the difficulties by fooling itself and some of the would-be critics."

Nature, however, would ultimately prevail in all art and bring back taste and the love of beauty. "It will be time to despair," he concluded, "only when men prove the necessity of their work by seeking for wives modelled on the distorted lines of some of their paintings or sculptures—when perhaps a Rima is depicted in the papers as a beautiful bride. But I prophesy that such a day will never come."

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AN EXPERIMENT IN PRODUCTION.

Mr. Alfred Hitchcock, one of the most successful of English film producers, who was recently appointed by the British International Pictures, Limited, to supervise all their productions at the Elstree studios, has arranged for Mr. Benn W. Levy, the playwright, to direct the making of a new film entitled "The Case of Lady Camber," in which Sir Gerald du Maurier, Miss Gertrude Lawrence, Miss Benita Hume, and Mr. Nigel Bruce will have the chief parts. The dialogue has been written for the screen by Mr. Gilbert Wakefield, the author of "The Marriage of Inconvenience." Mr. Levy has never directed a film before.

Sleepless Nights.

Before the production of this film the Elstree floor will be occupied by "Sleepless Nights," a new musical film based upon an original story by Mr. Stanley Lupino, who will himself play the leading part, supported by Miss Polly Walker, Mr. Jack Melford, and Mr. Frederick Lloyd. It will be directed by Mr. Thomas Bentley, and will include a number of new songs by Mr. Noel Gay. Three other subjects to be filmed this month are "Leave it to Pantha," a film version of Mr. P. G. Wodehouse's story, with Mr. Gene Gerrard in the cast; "Magenta Street," in which Mr. Julian R. R. is being played by Mr. George Barrard and a Jewish comedian, will be able to exploit his humour; and "For the Love of Mike," a screen version of Mr. H. F. Maltby's play, which will be produced by Mr. Monty Banks, with Mr. Bobby Howes in

his original part.

Arms and the Man.

Six other Elstree productions now completed and shortly to be shown in London are "Arms and the Man," the first full-length play of Mr. Bernard Shaw's to be filmed; "Timbuctoo," produced in West Africa by Mr. Walter Summers; "Old Spanish Customs," "The Fires of Fate," based upon a story by Conan Doyle, and produced in Egypt under the direction of Mr. Norman Walter; "Jesse Joins the Army," with Mr. Ernie Loring in the title rôle; and "The Maid of the Mountains," a screen version of Mr. Frederick Lonsdale's musical comedy, directed by Mr. Lupino Lane.

Isabel Jeans.

Miss Isabel Jeans, who has not been seen on the screen since the introduction of the talking film, will play the part of Mrs. Durlacher in the screen version of Mr. Temple Thurston's novel, "Sally Bishop," which is to be directed for the British Lion Film Corporation by Mr. T. Hayes Hunter. Miss Jeans, who was last seen on the London stage in Counsel's Opinion, appeared in a number of successful silent pictures, including "The Triumph of the Rat," "The Further Adventures of the Flag Lieutenant," and "Downhill." At the Elstree studios, the floor is occupied by "Raffles," in which the principal rôle is being played by Mr. George Barrard and a German actress, who some time ago appeared with Mr. John Barrymore in "The Tempest."

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.
Haiching, Douglas, Sept. 18.
Anhui, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, Sept. 18.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 20.
Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 21.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N., Sept. 22.
Hai Yang Douglas, Sept. 23.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Tainan, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Taima, B.I.S.N., Oct. 6.
Santhia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.

Chiocho.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Sept. 18.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

Dalry.
Teau, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Aeneas, B. & S., Oct. 18.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 12.

Footchow.
Haiching, Douglas, Sept. 18.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Sept. 18.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 20.
Hai Yang Douglas, Sept. 23.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.

Hankow.
Automedon, B. & S., Sept. 28.

Japan Ports.
Hector, B. & S., Sept. 16.
Pres. Madison, A.M. Line, Sept. 17.
Tantalus, B. & S., Sept. 17.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 18.
Hosang, Jardine's, Sept. 18.
City of Cambridge, Bank, Sept. 20.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 20.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 21.
Naldera, P. & O., Sept. 22.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N., Sept. 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Nagara, Gilman's, Sept. 23.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 23.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 23.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 23.
Nagoya, P. & O., Sept. 23.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Rheinland, Jenson, Sept. 29.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 2.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Oct. 4.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Africa, Manners, Oct. 5.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Taima, B.I.S.N., Oct. 6.
Tyndarus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Rajputana, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Bipenor, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Diomed, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Nanking, Gilman's, Oct. 20.
Santhia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Lycan, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Annam, Manners, Oct. 31.
City of Derby, Bank, Oct. 31.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.
Danzmar, Manners, Nov. 28.

Eastward.
FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND
AMERICA.

Baltimore.
Irisbank, Bank, Sept. 19.
Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Boston and New York.
Irisbank, Bank, Sept. 19.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 20.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.
Honolulu.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 21.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.

Los Angeles.
Toronto, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 21.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 28.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Mexico.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Panama.
Toronto, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Portland.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 28.
San Francisco.
Toronto, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 20.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 21.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 28.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Seattle.
Tantalus, B. & S., Sept. 17.
Pres. Madison, A.M. Line, Sept. 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Tyndarus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.
Alexandria.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Algiers.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 15.
Amsterdam.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Victoria, B.C.
Tantalus, B. & S., Sept. 17.
Pres. Madison, A.M. Line, Sept. 17.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Tyndarus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

SOUTHWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Nankin, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Changtse, B. & S., Oct. 21.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 23.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Bangkok.
Hiram, Thoresen, Sept. 18.
Kalgan, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Bintang, Manners, Sept. 22.
Chile, Manners, Sept. 23.
Hellas, Thoresen, Sept. 23.
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Sept. 23.
Kweiyang, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Yusang, Jardine's, Oct. 6.
Ball.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Sept. 20.

Bratislava.
Tjileboet, J.C.J.L., Sept. 27.
Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Haiphong.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
Belchew.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Bintang, Manners, Sept. 22.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Kweiyang, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Makassar.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Sept. 20.

Manila.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 18.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 20.
Taiping, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Sept. 20.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Sept. 24.

Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 28.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nankin, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 4.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 14.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 18.
Changtse, B. & S., Oct. 21.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 22.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 26.
Automedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 11.

Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.
Empress of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 24.

Malabar Coast.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.
Fakhol.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Bremerhaven.
Nankin, E. & A. S. N., Sept. 26.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Saigon.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 25.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 8.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.
Sandakan.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Sourabaya.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Sept. 20.

WESTWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE,
AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Gibraltar.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Brindisi.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Calcutta.
Takada, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 16.
Nordmark, Jenson, Sept. 24.
Yuenang, Jardine's, Sept. 27.
Sirdhana, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 29.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Hosang, Jardine's, Oct. 8.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N., Oct. 15.

Casablanca.
Nordmark, Jenson, Sept. 24.
Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Colombo.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Naldera, P. & O., Oct. 22.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 25.
Hector, B. & S., Oct. 28.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.
Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Copenhagen.
Chile, Manners, Sept. 25.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.
Africa, Manners, Nov. 1.

Outch Mandvia.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.
Djibouti.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 25.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 8.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Dunkirk.
Chile, Manners, Sept. 25.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.
Africa, Manners, Nov. 1.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
Genoa.
Leverkusen, Jenson, Sept. 16.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Nordmark, Jenson, Sept. 24.
Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Burgeland, Jenson, Oct. 14.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Antwerp.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Batavia.
Leverkusen, Jenson, Sept. 16.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Beirut.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
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Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Bombay.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Silverpalm, Furness, Sept. 23.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Oct. 3.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.

Bremen.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Brindisi.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Calcutta.
Takada, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 16.
Nordmark, Jenson, Sept. 24.
Yuenang, Jardine's, Sept. 27.
Sirdhana, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 29.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Hosang, Jardine's, Oct. 8.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N., Oct. 15.

Casablanca.
Nordmark, Jenson, Sept. 24.
Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Colombo.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Pres. Van Bureau, Dollar, Sept. 18.
Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Naldera, P. & O., Oct. 22.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 25.
Hector, B. & S., Oct. 28.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.
Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Hamburg.
Leverkusen, Jenson, Sept. 16.
Nordmark, Jenson, Sept. 24.
Chile, Manners, Sept. 25.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Burgeland, Jenson, Oct. 14.
City of Kobe, Bank, Oct. 14.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Africa, Manners, Nov. 1.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Nov. 9.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Haarlem.
Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Iar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Dardanus, B. & S., Oct. 12.
City of Kobe, Bank, Oct. 14.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Automedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

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Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Automedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

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Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.
Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
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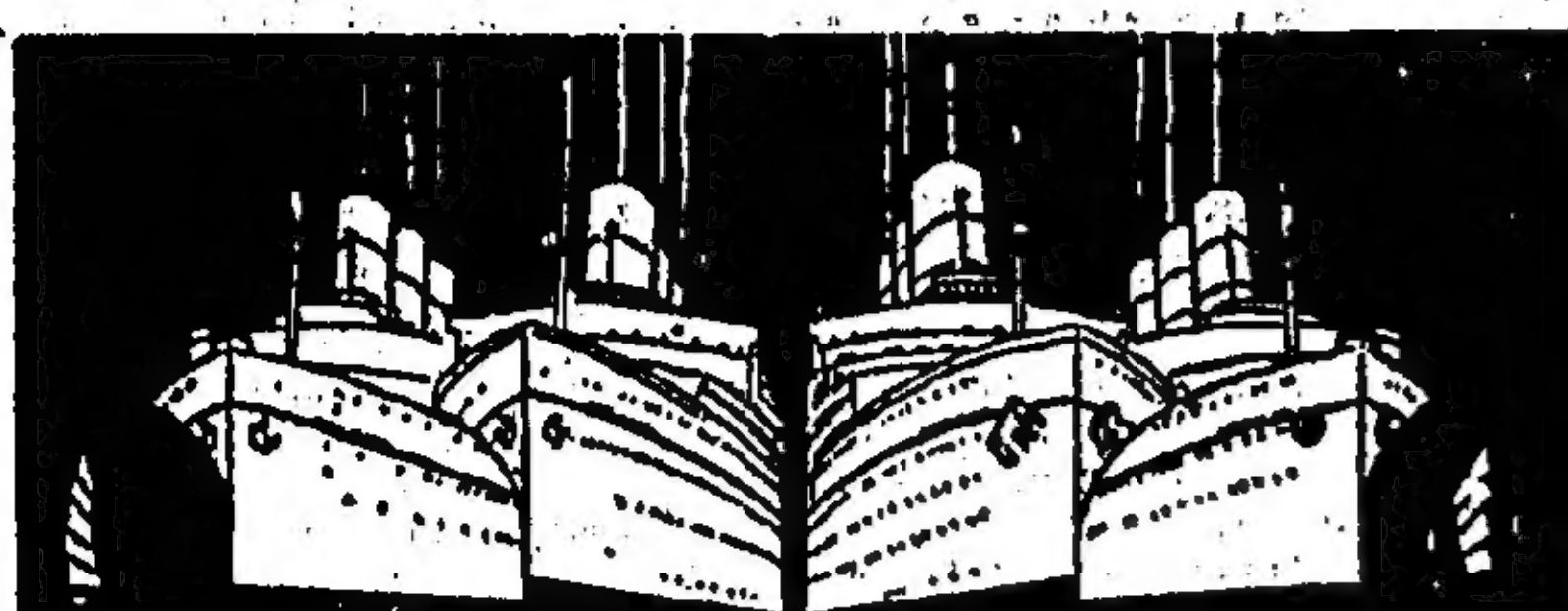
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Emp. of Canada, Nov. 18	Nov. 21	Nov. 23	Nov. 25	Nov. 27	Nov. 29	Dec. 1
Emp. of Russia, Dec. 2	Dec. 5	Dec. 7	Dec. 9	Dec. 11	Dec. 13	Dec. 15
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LYONS MARU ... Friday, 18th Sept.

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TANGO MARU ... Tuesday, 11th Oct.

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Shipping News

Daily Statement: Clearances,
Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS.

IMPORTS 10,921 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO
11,738 TONS.

The returns, shows at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the C. long during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British	H.K.	Ports
Anhui	Shanghai 300	300
Chungking	Bangkok 1,650	10
Kanchow	Tongku 845	420
Lyeemooon	Singapore 700	1,300
Haiching	Foochow 150	—
Koromiko	Kamfa 1,050	2,800
Wing Lee	Tehikam 400	—
German	—	5,095 — 4,830
Burgenland	Hamburg 1,275	3,850
Japanese	—	1,275 — 3,850
Toyouka Maru	Singapore 305	2,977
Daiyoku Maru	Suminoe 3,923	—
Sungshan Maru	Canton 273	75
Chinese	—	4,501 — 3,092
Chung On	Shanmei 50	—
—	—	50 —
—	—	10,921 11,732

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

Arr.	Dep.
British 7	0
German 1	0
Japanese 3	4
Chinese 1	1
Norwegian 0	1
Danish 0	1
French 0	2
Dutch 0	1
Total 12	10

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Anhui (British), Shanghai	204
Amoy	—
Chungking (British), Bangkok	12
Hoihow	—
Kanchow (British), Tongku	73
Weihaiwei	—
Lyeemooon (British), Singapore	303
Hoihow	—
Haiching (British), Foochow	353
Swatow	—
Koromiko (British), Kamfa	2
Wing Lee (British), Tokemam	—
Ford Bayard	65
Sungshan (Japanese), Canton	29
Cheung On (Chinese), Shanmei	59
Total	1,260

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant vessels were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves
Kowloon—Burgenland, Benorlich.
Hoihow—Taiping.
Douglas Laprak—Haiching.
O.S.K.—Hozan Maru.
Saikong—Wing Lee.

Docks
Kowloon—Limchow.
Taihook—Sun Kong, Song Jo.
C. St. George, Shun Chih, Yingchow.

Buoys
No. A2—Yamagata.
No. A6—Tianulung.
No. A7—Tijongangri.
No. A8—Toungking.
No. B2—Norviken.
No. B3—Kalgan.
No. B4—Halvard.
No. B5—Lyeemooon.
No. B6—Tsang Woo.
No. B7—Chung King.
No. B8—Kanchow.
No. B12—Albert Sarraut.
No. B13—Gustav Diederichsen.
No. B15—Chengtu.
No. B16—Canton.
No. B17—Hiram.
No. B18—Chewan.
No. B20—Anhui.
No. B21—Kwangtung.
No. B23—Daiyoku Maru.
No. C2—Prosper.
No. C3—Kueichow.

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BRITISH TRAWLER RESCUES CREW

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Ruaby, Sept. 14.

It is reported that the British trawler Jeria, 349 tons, owned by the Grimsby and East Coast Fishing Company, Limited, and commanded by Captain H. Leo, last night rescued the crew of an Iceland fishing boat which was disabled by a severe storm off Patreksfjord.

WORK ON CUNARD MAY CONTINUE

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Ruaby, Sept. 14.

It is understood that conversations regarding the possible resumption of work on the new 73,000 tons Cunard liner at Clydebank, took place yesterday and on Tuesday between the Rt. Hon. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, and Sir Thomas Royden, a Director of the Cunard Company, at the home of the latter, "Tillypronie House," Aberdeen.

Meanwhile a regular meeting was held at Liverpool, of other Directors of the Cunard Company. The two Ministers have since left for London.

ARRIVALS.

September 14.

Chungking, British str., 1,311 tons.
Capt. A. N. Taylor, from Hoihow, buoy No. B7.—B. & S.
Wing Lee, British str., 631 tons.
Capt. J. E. Harvey, from Kwong-chow-wan, Saikong Wharf.—Wo Hop & Co.

September 15.

Anhui, British str., 2,060 tons.
Capt. D. Lupton, from Amoy, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.
Burgenland, German str., 4,321 tons.
Capt. Vogler, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Jebson & Co.
Chak Sang, British str., 1,470 tons.
Capt. J. M. Ainslie, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J.M. & Co.
Daiyoku Maru, Japanese str., 2,250 tons.
Capt. Kitamura, from Miki, buoy No. B23.—M.B.E.
Foo Shing, British str., 1,423 tons.
Capt. R. Thompson, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J.M. & Co.
Helikon, British str., 1,220 tons.
Capt. W. Anderson, from Saigon, buoy No. C1.—Wo Fat Sing.
Kanchow, British str., 1,222 tons.
Capt. F. H. Graybrook, from Canton, buoy No. B8.—B. & S.
Kueichow, British str., 1,220 tons.
Capt. E. H. Histed, from Weihaiwei, buoy No. C3. B. & S.
Leverkuhn, German str., 4,304 tons.
Capt. Kohler, from Shanghai, buoy No. A5.—Jebson & Co.
Sensau Maru, Japanese str., 1,585 tons.
Capt. Yokoyama, from Dairen, Yaumati Anchorage.—D.K.K.
Toungking, Norwegian str., 3,501 tons.
Capt. M. R. Gierltan, from Manila, buoy No. A8.—Thoresen & Co.
Yamagata, Japanese str., 2,322 tons.
Capt. T. Iwashita, from Modu, buoy No. A8.—N.Y.K.

CLEARANCES.

September 15.

Anhui, for Canton.
Chenan, for Dairen.
Clara Jensen, for Bangkok.
Hydrangea, for Swatow.
Koromiko, for Canton.
Lyeemooon, for Swatow.
Sungshan Maru, for Canton.
Yamagata Maru, for Singapore.

No. C4.—Breme-haven.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following vessels were in port yesterday:—
Basin—Tamar.
North Wall—Folkstone.
South Wall—Moth.
North Arm—Veteran, Wishart.
West Wall—Devonshire.
East Wall—Oswald.
Phoenix.
Particular.
Doek—Verity and Whitehead.
Forem—French—river gunboat.
Argus, Chinese sloop Hoiphau.

VESSELS DUE.

Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Aeneas, B. & S., Oct. 15.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 5.
Agamemnon, B. & S., Nov. 28.
Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 12.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Angkor, Messageries, Nov. 9.
Annam, Manners, Oct. 31.
Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Ayamis, Messageries, Nov. 23.
Athos, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 23.
Automedon, B. & S., Sept. 26.
Bangalore, P. & O., Oct. 3.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 23.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 29.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 19.
Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Carthage P. & O., Oct. 7.
Changte, B. & S., Oct. 14.
Chichibu, Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Chile, Manners, Sept. 24.
City of Cambridge, Bank, Sept. 20.
City of Dorby, Bank, Oct. 31.
Coblentz Melchers, Sept. 25.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 2.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 20.
D'Artagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Danmark, Manners, Nov. 26.
Dardanus, B. & S., Oct. 12.
Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 29.
Diamond, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Elpenor, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 28.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 10.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 28.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Oct. 20.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 16.
Hojo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 20.
Hosang, Jardine's, Sept. 16.
Idomeneus, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Irisbank, Bank, Sept. 19.
Ixon, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Japanese Prince, Furness, Oct. 3.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Keemun, B. & S., Nov. 20.
Kita Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 12.
Liesbon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 19.
Loosbank, Bank, Sept. 20.
Lushan Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Lycan, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 19.
Mentor, B. & S., Nov. 15.
Metzinger, Messageries, Oct. 28.
Mirapore, P. & O., Oct. 4.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 20.
Nagoya, P. & O., Sept. 24.
Naldera, P. & O., Sept. 21.
Nankin, E. & A. S. Co., Sept. 20.
Nansenville, Bank, Sept. 17.
Nelus, B. & S., Nov. 18.
Nellore, E. & A. S. Co., Oct. 1.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M.L., Sept. 23.
Pres. Colbridge, Dollar, Sept. 10.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 1.
Pres. Grant, Dollar, Nov. 28.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar, Nov. 26.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 12.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 17.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar, Oct. 31.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Oct. 21.
Pres. Madison, A.M.L., Sept. 14.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar, Nov. 14.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Pres. Taft, A.M.L., Oct. 7.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, Sept. 17.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 3.
Proteslaus, B. & S., Oct. 15.
Pyrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Rajputana, P. & O., Oct. 6.
Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 22.
Rheinland, Jensen, Sept. 29.
Rheenor, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Santha, B.I.S.N., Oct. 19.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 12.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 10.
Silver Palm, Furness, Sept. 19.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 14.
Sungshan Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 17.
Sunning, B. & S., Sept. 17.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 30.
Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Tajna, B.I.S.N., Oct. 4.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 13.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N., Sept. 20.
Tinhow, Bank, Oct. 20.
Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., Sept. 18.
Toronto, Dodwell's, Sept. 18.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Sept. 28.

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"NALDERA"	16,000	22nd Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	5th Nov.	do.
1 st "BANGALORE"	9,000	12th Nov.	Bombay, Mars. L'don, Havre.
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"COMORIN"	16,000	3rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
1 st "BHUTAN"	6,700	10th Dec.	do.
"BANFUDA"	17,000	17th Dec.	Bombay, Mars. L'don, Havre.
"KARAI-HIND"	19,000	31st Dec.	B'g, L'don, A'wep., & Hul
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"NALDERA"	16,000	11th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
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CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1854.

Head Office: London.

Paid-up Capital: HK\$3,000,000.00
Reserve Fund: HK\$3,000,000.00
Reserve Liability of Proprietors: HK\$3,000,000.00

Branches and Agencies: Amoy, Canton, Cebu, Colombo, Fookchow, Haiphong, Hankow, Harbin, Hongkong, Kobe, London, Lyons, Malacca, Manila, Peking, Shanghai, Singapore, Soerabaya, Suiyong, Tientsin, Yokohama.

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THE AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, INC.

Head Office: 65, Broadway, New York.

Capital: U.S.\$5,000,000.00
Surplus: U.S.\$1,832,332.04
Reserves: U.S.\$1,459,116.73

Branches: Amoy, Canton, Cebu, Colombo, Fookchow, Haiphong, Hankow, Harbin, Hongkong, Kobe, London, Lyons, Malacca, Manila, Peking, Shanghai, Singapore, Soerabaya, Suiyong, Tientsin, Yokohama.

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